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THE BIG RED DEER FAIR IS GOING STRONG

SCHOOL BOARD FAVOR FORMATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH DISTRICT

With Employment of Public Health Nurse for Inspection and Clinical Work—Deputation from West Park Want School in Their Own Community.

A special meeting of the Public School Board was held in the Board room at the Central school on Friday evening. There were present R. L. Gaetz, Chairman, and Trustees W. J. Stephenson, J. W. Broughton and Jas. Berry.

The application of C. H. McKenzie for the position of teacher for Grade VIII. was accepted at a salary of $1500 per annum. Mr. McKenzie comes highly recommended and has good educational qualifications.

A deputation, consisting of Major Lister, A. Cruickshanks, Mrs. Shannon and Mrs. Moseley, interviewed the Board in regard to opening a school in West Park. Mr. Lister claimed that there were 21 families living in West Park, and that there were 42 children of school age as well as 22 approaching school age. Of those attending school, 21 are in the first three grades, 10 in grades 4 and 5, and 18 in grades 6, 7 and 8. They found the distance too great to the present schools, and thought they were entitled to a school in their own neighborhood.

A statement of the school taxes paid by West Park and Red Deer West for the year 1921 showed amount paid by residents $151.65, by non-residents $610.67; total $762.32. The 1922 school taxes paid to date were $803.06, of this $236.23 was paid by residents and $406.83 by non-residents.

The deputation said that they had a site secured for a school, and that a building could be erected for about $1500 that would serve the purpose.

The Board was not in a position to do anything in the matter at present in any case, whatever might be done in the future.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Miss Brighty outlined the Dept. of Public Health work, stating that their object was to form a Public Health District for the medical and physical inspection of children, also follow-up work by visiting the homes and establishing permanent clinics. It takes 35 schools to form a District, and a small fee in regard to from one to 50 cents per pupil is charged up to 50 pupils, and a flat rate of $20 per annum for 100 pupils. Red Deer is the logical centre for such a district, the whole expense is covered by the fee charged.

On motion of Trustee Berry, the Board agreed to enter the proposed District. It was felt that the expenditure of, say, $120 or $130 per year in this way would be a great investment for the schools.

A letter was received from Mrs. T. B. Millar in regard to the offer of position as teacher of the North Red Deer School. She thought she should have more than $1000 salary to take up primary work. The letter was referred to the Chairman to deal with.

CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC EXAMS.

A. F. Oliver, examiner for the Toronto Conservatory of Music, was in the city on Saturday conducting the examination of musical students here who are taking their training under teachers affiliated with the Conservatory.

Miss Daisy Gaetz passed her examination in the History of Music, and also successfully passed the Intermediate Vocal examination, or fourth year. Miss Gaetz has been taking her vocal training from Mrs. G. P. Simons.

Miss Vera Houston, another pupil of Mrs. Simons, passed in Primary Piano, and took 1st Class Honors in Elementary Theory, winning her Primary Diploma.

Miss Rose Thompson, a pupil of Miss Gaetz, also took honors in Elementary Theory and passed in Elementary Piano.

Mr. Oliver raised the question of the future of vocal music in Canada. He has been conducting examinations in various centres for the past two or three months, and he made the startling statement that Miss Gaetz was only the third vocal pupil that he had examined; the other two were in Vancouver.

With all the enthusiasm for getting young people to study instrumental, it should be possible to induce a much larger number to take vocal training than are doing so at present.

GIRL GUIDES' CAMP

The Girl Guides had a jolly outing last week at Mrs. Fred Lund's cottage, Sylvan Lake. There were 24 in the party all told. They went out on Monday's train, returning on Thursday. All the regular pleasures of such an outing were enjoyed to the fullest extent. The bonfire on the beach Tuesday evening was quite an attraction to a good many people who are visiting the Lake at this time.

The girls are quite delighted with the camp, and are loud in their praise of Mrs. Lund's hospitality.

Mr. and Mrs. Manning and family, of Delburne, are occupying their cottage at Sylvan Lake. This beautiful property formerly belonged to Mr. Gover, and Mr. and Mrs. Gover, of Calgary, recently paid them a friendly visit.

LOCAL NEWS

See the new Sunshine furnace at Hayhoe's Tinshop.

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Ballasting of the C.N.R. spur line is completed and the right-of-way is now being fenced.

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Mrs. Wilson, Toronto, arrived last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Gamble.

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Misses Etta and Myrtle Smith left on Monday to spend a few weeks at the Pacific Coast.

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Miss H. M. Hepworth has returned from a pleasant visit with Mrs. Carswell at Sylvan Lake.

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Mrs. McLean, Calgary, was visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Hamilton, for a few days last week.

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Mrs. M. W. Stephenson has returned to Red Deer from a visit to her daughter in Edmonton.

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Jas. Cruickshank won a first and second in the heavy horse classes at the Edmonton Fair last week.

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Another of those popular dances in the Divide Community Hall on Friday evening, July 21. Dancing will begin at 9.30.

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W. J. McLean is acting agent at the C.P.R., relieving while Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Gunn are away to the coast for a couple of weeks' holiday.

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Alan Galbraith is home for his vacation. He has developed into a bicycle fan and wheeled home 250 miles from his school near Bow Island.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kerr, of Calgary, are now occupying their cottage on the north shore of Sylvan Lake. Mr. Kerr has the finest motor boat on the Lake.

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Thos. Gummow, Willowdale, is building a new two-storey residence, 22x28. Fred McKee is the contractor, and F. M. Hayhoe will install a Hecla furnace.

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F. A. Borrow, postmaster at Lloydminster, Alta., was committed for trial before Inspector Fisher, J.P., on the charge of theft of post office funds amounting to $700 or over.

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Blakely Brothers have had a visit from their nephew and niece, Harold Ball and Miss Dorothy Ball, Saskatoon, recently. Chas. Harper, of Saskatoon, is still visiting them here.

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E. S. Hogg, clerk of the Court at Red Deer, has been appointed Sheriff for this judicial district, and will fill both offices under the new arrangements, for the present at least.

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The U.G.G. elevator is closed for a couple of weeks in the absence of M. M. Cock, who is spending his holidays at Banff. Mrs. Cock is visiting her mother on the G.T.P. east of Edmonton.

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The Hospital Commissioners desire to thank Scoutmaster Gall and Scouts Lyman Wellver, Harding Brewerton and David Muir, who turned out on Saturday evening and hoed the Hospital garden.

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The Committee in charge of the West Park and Red Deer West picnic last week, gratefully acknowledge the receipt of donations for the prizes and the refreshments from Brumpton & Gaetz, Hamilton's Grocery, and Sam Wilson.

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The crops are making wonderful progress since the copious rains of a few days ago. Mr. Card, who made a trip to the west country last week, reports having seen some very fine crops, especially in the vicinity of Leslieville.

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The Ladies' Hospital Aid wish to acknowledge the receipt of a donation of 9 dozen fresh eggs from J. Silverberg in response to the appeal for donations of eggs for the Hospital. Mrs. Grier, secretary, will be glad to hear from any others who wish to help in this way.

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A green worm has been attacking spruce trees in the country around Red Deer. Commissioner Stephenson reported the matter to the Department of Agriculture, Edmonton, who report that this is the spruce tree saw fly. Spraying with paris green will kill the worms.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turnbull report having had a very pleasant trip to the east, where they attended the convention of the Weekly Newspapers' Association at Ottawa. The convention was the largest ever held. Mr. and Mrs. Turnbull saw quite a number of old friends, including Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bonnick, former residents of Red Deer.

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As we go to press, the editor of The News is in receipt of a letter from a lawyer in which he complains of alleged ingratitude of one of our employees. The letter was enclosed in an envelope that was printed out of town. Whereas the gentleman declines to entrust the local offices with his printing, it is a tribute to his nerve that he should ask us to wash his soiled linen. The letter and the envelope are on exhibition in our office in case anyone would like to see them.

An Excellent Exhibition of Livestock. Ladies' and Domestic Departments are Fine. Good Clean-looking Midway. Attractive Grandstand Programs

Red Deer Fair is fully up to the usual high standard, despite the reduction in the prize list this year. It is now open to the public, and everybody should see it. Excellent weather is provided, and all that is needed now is people, and more people.

HORSES

The grade classes in horses, like the other grade classes of the Fair, are limited to entries from the Red Deer district this year, and the local horsemen appear to have expressed their approval of this regulation by entering their stock quite freely in the grade classes. In the purebred classes the competition is not so keen and there are a few visitors included in the list of exhibitors.

A. Webster, Lacombe, is on hand again with a nice string of Clydes. G. H. Hutton, Calgary, also has an entry, and will compete with the local exhibitors. Alex Milne and Jas. Cruickshank, Tom Rawlinson, Innisfail, is another familiar and welcome visitor with his string of Shires. Jas. BoWer, Red Deer, has entries in Percherons, and Chas. Barber, Mance, has a few good Suffolk Punch horses entered.

In the light horses, Ray Bagley, Mrs. J. S. Russell, Calgary, and Mrs. Robt. Thomson, Calgary, are competing in the Thoroughbreds. Dave Sinclair, Didsbury, and S. F. Wilson, Red Deer, have entries in the Standardbreds. Mrs. Robt. Thomson, Calgary, has a nice string of Hackneys, including some classy high steppers.

CATTLE

The cattle classes are more uniformly filled than usual, with good competition in several breeds. The Shorthorn classes are fairly well filled, with W. W. Sharp, Stettler, and J. Chas. Yule, Carstairs, as the outside exhibitors, and A. D. Bower, J. Cruickshanks, Fred Parks and J. P. McKinnon as the local exhibitors.

Four good herds are entered in the Aberdeen Angus classes, viz.: C. H. Richardson, Bowden; Thos. Henderson, Lacombe; Jack F. Day, Red Deer, and Clarindale Stock Farm, Vanscall, Alta. The competition in these classes will be keen. S. D. Blair has the field pretty well to himself in the Herefords, with one entry by J. Cruickshank.

Milking Shorthorn, Red Deer, have a very creditableexhibit in Red Polled with entries in nearly all classes of this section. M. B. Latham, another of our local breeders, also has several very creditable entries.

Holsteins are not as numerous as last year, when there were six herds in competition at this Fair. There are three good herds, however, and these promise to give enough good competition to keep things interesting. Geo. Bevington, Winterburn, has survived the political excitement of the past year in his home constituency, and is back on the job as hale and hearty as ever with a fine herd of the black and white. E. W. Bjorkeland & Son, our local breeders, have another good herd under the Wm. Gilbert, Stony Plain, does not propose to let the others get away with all the money by any means.

The Ayrshire classes are better filled than usual. C. H. Kennedy, Calgary, and Jas. Boden, Lacombe, are exhibiting against J. J. Richards, Red Deer, with a good sized herd and R. J. Doran, who has a few head as well.

J. M. Carscadden is giving competition in a few classes of Jerseys to C. H. Hand, Stettler, who has a nice herd of the little favorites.

The entries in the various grade classes are numerous with a goodly number of very creditable individual exhibits, reflecting credit on the general standard of the stock in this part of the country.

SHEEP

There is strong competition in the sheep classes, the purebred classes being filled with visiting flocks entirely. These include A. C. Stewart, Alderyorne, B.C.; Wm. Riddell & Sons, Monmouth, Ore.; R. Hamley, Ponoka; Floyd F. Fox, Silverton, Ore.; A. M. Olson, Airdrie, Alta.; Felzer Bros., Tangent, Ore.; J. G. S. Hubbard & Son, Monroe, Ore.

SWINE

Exhibitors in the purebred classes of hogs include B. Thorlakson, Markerville; Steve C. Swift, Viking, Alta.; Dominion Experimental Farm, Lacombe; R. Sheppard & Son, S. Edmonton; Wm. Gilbert, Stony Plain; J. E. Pierce, Edmonton; J. J. Richards, Red Deer; R. Hamley, Ponoka; E Plumb, Blackfalds; John Maver, Clive; O. B. Moore, S. Edmonton; and A. J. Ottewell, Clover Bar.

GRADE STOCK

The following are among the exhibitors in the various classes of grade stock:

Heavy Grade Horses—

Hewson & Sons, S. Sveinson, J. C. Jones, Smith Lumber Co., W. Milne, M. R. Clancy, Murray Keith, E. B. Day, A. Webster, J. Richards, S. D. Blair, A. Black, S. Sveinson, R. J. Doran, Keith Wigins, J. P. McKinnon, Negley C. Parks, L. Brennan.

Grade Light Horses—

W. Fleming, A. E. Trimble, Wm. Silverberg, W. E. Pixley, J. Cruickshank, S. F. Wilson, Dave Sinclair.

Grade Beef Cattle—

A. D. Bower, S. D. Blair, W. Fleming, L. E. Brown, Edwin Plumb, N. Bower, Murray Keith, Jas. Cruickshank, J. F. Day, Jas. Bower, F. H. Parks, Arthur Smith, Arch. Phillips.

Grade Dairy Cattle—

Alex Milne, Annie Robertson, Alex Robertson, Bjorkeland & Son, A. E. Trimble, L. J. Porter, G. H. Goodacre, J. McCulloch, Blakely Bros., A. D. Bower, W. Fleming, J. J. Richards, Kenneth Trimble, Robt. J. Smith, Jane Thibaut, Isabel Robertson, Garnet Trimble, Arthur Smith, Fred H. Parks, J. Cruickshank.

Grade Sheep—

J. Cruickshank, Dick Pixley, Clark Houghton, Isabel Cruickshank.

Grade Hogs—

G. H. Goodacre, A. E. Trimble, W. Goodacre, J. P. McKinnon, Dick Pixley, Edwin Plumb.

POULTRY

On account of the action of the provincial government in cutting off the grant for poultry in places where there is a winter show of poultry, the poultry classes at this year's Fair are not up to the record of recent years. The Society has been compelled to put up all the prizes out of its own funds, and has limited the exhibit to the Red Deer district, as well as cutting out several of the classes. There is a very creditable local exhibit, however, and visitors to the Fair will be well repaid for a visit to the poultry building. Red Deer district has nothing to be ashamed of in the line of poultry that is raised here.

Following is a list of some of the awards that were made on the opening day:

THE MIDWAY

Snapp Bros. Shows are on the Midway, as we go to press, the shows are not yet in operation, but the appearance of the equipment is clean and attractive. The five rides are well set up and the shows appear to be above the average.

The special train carrying the midway did not arrive until 8 a.m. on Monday, and the setting up was delayed a few hours by an argument over electric power.

LADIES' WORK

Table centrepiece, solid or eyelet—1 Mrs. R. C. Smith, 2 Mrs. W. Grier, 3 Mrs. R. E. Jones.

Table centrepiece, crochet—1 Mrs. Moschenross, 2 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, Elnora; 3 Mrs. W. McGilvary, Hill End.

Tatting with needle and shuttle—1 Mrs. H. G. Stone.

Table set, centrepiece, carving and tray cloth—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, Red Deer.

Luncheon set, not less than 7 pieces —1 Mrs. G. L. Jacques, 2 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Five o'clock tea cloth, embroidered —1 Mrs. R. C. Smith, 2 Mrs. W. Grier, 3 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Five o'clock tea cloth, crochet—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, Elnora; 2 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 3 Mrs. Bjorkeland.

Table napkins (6) with initial or monogram—1 Mrs. R. C. Smith, 2 Mrs. G. L. Jacques, 3 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Tea cosy—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 2 Mrs. Bjorkeland.

Tray cloth—1 Mrs. H. G. Stone, 2 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 3 Mrs. R. E. Hutton, Lousana.

Embroidery in fine colored silk—1 Mrs. Bjorkeland, 2 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Embroidery in heavy colored silk—1 Mrs. A. C. Eby, 2 Mrs. R. Henry, 3 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Embroidery, hardanger—1 Mrs. G. Rodenhorst, 2 J. L. Connell, 3 Mrs. W. Grier.

Embroidery, cross stitch—1 Mrs. R. C. Smith, 2 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 3 Mrs. W. Grier.

Embroidery, colored cotton or bungalow—1 Mrs. R. E. Hutton.

Embroidery, eyelet—1 Mrs. R. C. Smith, 2 Mrs. W. McGilvary, Hill End.

Sideboard scarf—1 Mrs. R. C. Smith, 2 Eva LaBlanc, Blackfalds; 3 Mrs. G. L. Jacques.

Towels, fancy—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, Elnora; 2 Mrs. R. E. Hutton, Lousana; 3 Mrs. G. L. Jacques.

Tray, fancy—1 Mrs O. W. Thorne, 2 Mrs. R. C. Smith.

Sheets, pair, fancy—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 2 Mrs. J. C. Houghton.

Pillow Cases, embroidered—1 Mrs. G. L. Jacques, 2 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 3 Mrs. Bjorkeland.

Pillow cases, crochet—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 2 J. L. Connell, 3 Mrs. R. C. Smith.

Dresser and washstand cover—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 2 Mrs. A. C. Eby.

Table scarf—1 Mrs. G. H. Roderhorst, 2 Mrs. R. E. Hutton, 3 Mrs. Moschenross, R. R. No. 2, Red Deer.

Pin cushion, embroidered—1 Mrs. W. Grier, 2 Mrs. R. C. Smith, 3 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Pin cushion, crochet—1 Mrs. G. H. Roderhorst, 2 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 3 Mrs. R. Thorlakson, Markerville.

Drawn thread work—1 Mrs. A. C. Eby, 2 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Knitting—1 Mrs. G. H. Roderhorst, 2 Mrs. R. Thorlakson.

Crocheting, yoke—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 2 Mrs. R. E. Hutton, 3 Mrs. G. L. Jacques.

Crocheting, filet—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 2 Mrs. R. E. Hutton, 3 Mrs. R. E. Jones.

Crocheting, not fillet—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 2 Mrs. R.E. Hutton, 3 Mrs. G. L. Jacques.

Crocheting, Irish—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 2 Mrs. R. E. Hutton.

Tatting—1 Mrs. H. G. Stone, 2 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 3 Mrs. R. E. Hutton.

Cluny lace—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Roman cut work—1 Mrs. Bjorkeland, 2 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Darned net—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Hemstitching—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Sofa pillow, embroidered—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne.

Sofa pillow, crochet—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 2 Mrs. Moschenross, 3 Mrs. G. H. Roderhorst.

Coronation braid work—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 2 Mrs. W. Grier.

Child's dress, hand-made—1 Mrs. R. E. Jones, 2 Mrs. R. E Hutton, 3 Mrs. G. L. Jacques.

Knitted shawl—1 Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin.

Woolen sweater, knitted—Mrs. I. M. Hutherton.

Crocheted shawl—1 Mrs. H. G. Stone.

Fancy collar, handwork—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 2 Mrs. H. G. Stone, 3 Mrs. R. E. Hutton.

Fancy bag, handwork—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 2 Mrs R. E. Hutton, 3 Mrs. R. C. Smith.

Boudoir cap—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 2 Mrs. G. L. Jacques, 3 Mrs. B. Thorlakson, Markerville.

Baby's bonnet, handmade—1 Mrs. H. G. Stone, 2 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 3 Mrs. R. E. Hutton.

Apron, lady's tea—1 Mrs. S. D. Hutton, 2 Mrs. R. C. Smith, 3 Mrs. R. E. Hutton.

Darning on garments—1 Mrs. R. E. Jones.

Darning on socks or stockings, wool —1 Mrs. W. E. Pixley, Hill End; 2 Mrs. R. E. Jones; 3 Mrs. F. H. Parks.

Socks, home-made, woolen—1 Mrs. F. H. Parks, 2 Mrs. G. L. Jacques.

Mitts—1 Mrs. F. H. Parks.

Mat—1 Mrs. F. W. Gaetz, 2 Mrs. G. H. Parks.

Quilt, wool or cotton—1 Mrs. F. H Parks, 2 Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin, 3 Mrs. R. E. Jones.

Counterpane, any other kind—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 2 Mrs. R. C. Smith, 3 Mrs. J. C. Houghton.

Collection of embroidery—1 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 2 Mrs. R. E. Hutton.

Collection of lace—1 Mrs. R. E. Hutton.

Best made cotton dress—1 Mrs. G. L. Jacques, 2 Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin, 3 Miss A. Pixley.

Collection of fancy work, more than 10 pieces—1 Mrs. Jas. McEachern, 2 Mrs. O. W. Thorne, 3 Mrs. G. L. Jacques.

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Domestic and Fancy Work.

Plain sewing—1 Miss E. M. Welton, 2 Lois A. Hupner, 3 Margaret Connell.

Plain hemstitching—1 Margaret Connell, 2 Nancy J. Stephenson, 3 Freda B. Gaetz.

Half dozen button holes—2 Freda E. Gaetz.

Fancy work with needle—1 Eva Le Blanc, 2 E. Robertson, 3 Margaret Connell.

Darning socks or stockings—2 Margaret Connell.

Crochet yoke—1 Miss E. Robertson.

Towels, fancy—1 Miss E. Robertson.

Best made kitchen apron—1 Miss E. M. Welton, 2 Freda E. Gaetz.

Best made cotton dress—1 Miss E. M. Welton.

Best garment made from flour sacks—1 Dorothy Goodacre, 2 Miss E. M. Welton, 3 Miss S. Robertson.

POULTRY

Brahama cockerel—1 H. E. Smith.

Brahma pullet—1 H. E. Smith.

Langshan cock—1 T. S. Stanway.

Langshan hen—1 T. S. Stanway, 2 T. S. Stanway.

Barred Plymouth Rock cock—1 E. Gerhke, 2 E. Gehrke.

Barred Plymouth Rock Hen—E. Gehrke 1 and 2.

Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel—1 W. Huget.

Partridge Rock cock—1 R. L. Lowe, 2 R. L. Lowe.

Partridge Rock hen—1 R. L. Lowe.

Partridge Wyandottes, cock—1 Hogg Bros.

Partridge Wyandotte hen—1 Hogg Bros.

White Wyandotte cock—1 Mrs. A. Robertson, 2 R. Domoney, Penhold.

White Wyandotte, hen—1 Mrs. A. Robertson, 2 R. Domoney.

White Wyandotte cockerel—1 R. Domoney.

White Wyandotte pullet—1 C. L. Northey, 2 R. Domoney.

A.O.V. Wyandotte, cock—1 T. S. Stanway, 2 A. Taylor.

A.O.V. Wyandotte, hen—1 A. Taylor, T. S. Stanway 2 and 3.

Rhode Island Red cock—1 L. I. Hamley, 2 N. M. Burnett.

Rhode Island Red hen—L. I. Hamley 1 and 2.

Rhode Island Red pullet—1 N. M. Burnett.

A.O.V. Orpington hen—1 Mrs. W. Heaman.

English A.O.V. cock—1 T. S. Stanway.

English A.O.V. hen—T. S. Stanway 1 and 2.

White Leghorn cock—H. K. Byers 1, 2 and 3.

White Leghorn hen—H. K. Byers 1, 2 and 3.

White Leghorn cockerel—1 C. L. Northey, H. K. Byers 2 and 3.

White Leghorn pullet—H. K. Byers 1 and 2, 3 C. L. Northey.

Brown Leghorn cock—H. K. Byers 1 and 2, 3 H. Huget.

Brown Leghorn hen—H. K. Byers 1 and 2, 3 Mrs. A. Robertson.

Brown leghorn cockerel—H. Huget 1 and 2.

Brown Leghorn pullet—H. Huget 1 and 2.

A.O.V. Leghorn hen—H. K. Byers 1 and 2.

A.O.V. Leghorn cockerel—H. K. Byers 1 and 2.

A.O.V. Leghorn pullet—H. K. Byers 1 and 2.

Ancona hen—W. C. Steward 1, 2 and 3.

Ancona cockerel—W. C. Steward 1, 2 and 3.

Ancona pullet—W. C. Steward 1, 2 and 3.

Breeding pen—1 R. J. Smith.

Turkeys, male and female—1 J. Richards, 2 Dorothy Goodacre.

CHILDREN'S CLASSES—POULTRY

Best pair young chicks—1 Henry McCulloch, 2 H. J. Cody, 3 Allen H. Cody.

Best pen, light variety—1 R. J. Smith, 2 Glenn Michener, 3 Negley Parks.

Best pair young chicks—1 Albert Heaman, 2 Matt Ernie Lowe, 3 Miss C.

Best pen, heavy variety—1 A. H. Cody.

GRAINS AND GRASSES

Marquis wheat—1 Fred Vincent.

Fall rye—1 R. Thorlakson, Markerville; 2 Gladys Parks.

6-rowed barley—2 Fred Vincent.

Banner oats—1 J. W. Christian.

Collection of cultivated grasses—1 Gordon Parks.

Collection of native grasses—1 Negley Parks.

Best sheaf of clover—1 F. Vincent, 3 J. W. Christian.

Best sheaf of timothy—1 W. Milne, 2 F. Vincent.

DOMESTIC MANUFACTURE

Loaf of white bread—1 Mrs. T. Smith, 2 Mrs. W. Burns, 3 Mrs. A. Trimble.

Loaf of Graham bread—1 Mrs. T. Smith, 2 Mrs. J. W. Christian, 3 Mrs. A. Goodey.

Nut bread—1 Mrs. R. E. Jones, 2 Mrs. A. Robertson, 3 Frances Parks.

Currant bread—1 Mrs. J. McVicar, 2 Frances Parks.

Half dozen buns or rolls—1 Mrs. W. L. Poore, 2 Mrs. E. A. Kirk, 3 Mrs. J. McVicar.

Tea biscuits—1 Mrs. A. Trimble, 2 Mrs. E. A. Kirk, 3 Mrs. F. Staples.

Layer cake—1 Mrs. W. L. Poore, 2 Mrs. E. A. Kirk, 3 Mrs. S. D. Blair.

Oat cake—1 Mrs. A. Robertson, 2 Frances Parks, 3 Mrs. J. Wood.

Fruit cake—1 Mrs. A. Robertson, 2 Mrs. A. Trimble, 3 Mrs. S. D. Blair.

Angel cake—2 Mrs. A. Trimble, 2 Mrs. J. C. Houghton, 3 Frances Parks.

Light sponge cake—1 Mrs. A. Trimble, 2 Mrs. E. A. Kirk, 3 Mrs. W. Burns.

Small drop cakes—1 Mrs. W. Fleming, 2 Mrs. T. Smith, 3 Mrs. A. Robertson.

White fruit cake—1 Mrs. A. Trimble, 2 J. L. Connell, 3 Mrs. G. E. Smith.

Pie, one crust—1 Mrs. A. Trimble, 2 Mrs. E. A. Kirk, 3 Mrs. C. J. Stretch.

Pie, two crusts—1 Mrs. A. Trimble, 2 Mrs. E. A. Kirk, 3 Mrs. G. E. Smith.

Cookies, any kind—1 Mrs. F. Staples, 2 Mrs. T. Smith, 3 Mrs. W. Fleming.

Doughnuts—1 Gladys Parks, 2 Mrs. A. Trimble, 3 Mrs. A Robertson.

Puffed pastry—Mrs. G. E. Smith.

Scotch shortbread—1 Mrs. W. Burns, 2 Mrs. J. Wood, 3 Mrs. A. Robertson.

Homemade candy—1 J. L. Connell, 2 Mrs. Moschenross, 3 Mrs. F. Staples.

Collection of fruit jam—1 J. L. Connell, 2 Mrs. W. Fleming, 3 Mrs. A. Goodey.

Canned fruit, cultivated—1 Mrs G. E. Smith.

Homemade pickles—1 Mrs. A. Goodey.

Homemade soap—1 Mrs. B. Thorlakson, Markerville; 2 Mrs. R. Henry, 3 Mrs. A. Goodey.

Collection of flowers in pots—1 Eva LeBlanc, 2 Mrs. A. Goodey, 3 Mrs. R. E. Jones.

CHILDREN'S CLASSES—HORSES.

Pony in harness, under 14.2—1 Broughton Sharman, 2 Dick Pixley, Hill End; 3 Allan H. Cody.

Pony in harness, under 11 hands—1 Matt. D. Haliburton.

Pony in saddle, under 11 hands—1 Charley McGilvary, Hill End; 2 Matt. D. Haliburton, 3 Betty Lindmark.

Best girl rider—1 Eva LeBlanc, 2 Margaret Richards, 3 Sylvia M. Kirk.

Best boy rider—1 M. A. J. Cody, 2 Dick Pixley, 3 Charlie McGilvary, 4 Eric Goodacre.

Best mannered foal—1 Negley C. Parks, 2 Leonard Milne.

BEEF CATTLE

Yearling steer or heifer—1 Chas. E. Blair, 2 Chas. E. Blair, 3 Isabel Cruickshank, 4 Negley Parks.

Senior calf, purebred—1 Chas. E. Blair, 2 Kenneth Blair, 3 Negley Parks.

Senior calf, grade—1 Isabel Cruickshank.

Junior calf, grade—1 Joyce Blair, 2 Isabel Cruickshank, 3 —. Blair, 4 Eric Goodacre, 5 Geo. Milne, 6 Leonard Milne.

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Domestic and Fancy Work

Ginger bread—1 Miss E. M. Welton, 2 Miss E. Robertson, 3 Margaret Streatch.

Bread—1 Margaret Streatch, 2 Miss M. Burns, 3 Edith Robson.

Buns or rolls—1 Margaret Connell, 2 Edith Robson, 3 Margaret Streatch.

Biscuits—1 Nancy J. Stephenson, 2 Edith Robson, 3 Miss M. Burns.

Cake—1 Miss E. M. Welton, 2 Edith Robson, 3 Margaret Streatch.

Pie—1 Nancy J. Stephenson, 2 Edith Robson, 3 Margaret Streatch.

Candy, homemade—1 Miss E. M. Welton, 2 Margaret Connell, 3 Nancy J. Stephenson.

Best roll of bread—1 Edith Robson, 2 Miss M. Burns, 3 Margaret Connell.

CHILDREN'S CLASSES—SHEEP

Lamb exhibited by boy or girl—1 Isabel Cruickshank, 2 Clark Houghton.

Berkshire sow, under 2 years—1 Dorothy Goodacre, 2 Eric Goodacre.

Berkshire sow, with litter—1 Eric Goodacre, 2 Kenneth Trimble.

Duroc Jersey sow—1 Gordon Parks.

Duroc Jersey sow with litter—1 Gordon Parks.

Best young pig under three months —1 Dick Pixley, 2 Kenneth Trimble.

INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITS

There is a good display of industrial exhibits in the main building which do credit to our enterprising local business men.

The Western General Electric Co. have an attractive display of electrical equipment.

E. G. Johns & Co. have Bapco Paints, and a demonstrator on the job. Peninsular and Columbia ranges, kitchen cabinets, etc., are also shown.

McPherson Bros. feature Findley Ranges in their booth.

The British American Oil Co. have a full display of oils, etc.

Carscallen & Shepherd show the C. G. E. Home Light and Power Plant.

Evenaway Razor Paste is demonstrated in another booth.

Brody's Shoe Store has an attractive display of shoes.

Weaver's Tire Service show all kinds of auto accessories.

Aero Cushion Inner Tires are demonstrated.

Jarvis-Goodey Harness Co. have a fine line of harness, saddlery and traveling bags.

A. H. Waldo shows binder twine, cream separators, etc.

GRANDSTAND ATTRACTIONS

The initial performance of the grandstand attractions, last night, was very satisfactory.

Kate Mullins' Five Royal Hussars are a gifted company of musicians, that are several whole bands in themselves. They each play a variety of instruments, and work out some very pleasing combinations. This act is sure to please at every performance.

Garland & Smith, a lady and a gentleman, do some very clever aerial work on the trapeze, horizontal bar and other equipment.

Mooney's Circus is particularly enjoyable. The dogs, monkeys and ponies do some very fine work, while the kicking mule is a scream. He succeeds in keeping the attendants extremely busy falling over the ropes in their efforts to escape his wrath.

Miss Ethel Garland's sensational teeth glide from the top of a 40 foot pole down the ropes to the ground, a considerable distance away, is a most daring feat.

Taken as a whole, the grand stand attractions this year are well above the average of recent years.

MILITARY SPORTS

A feature of this year's Fair is the military sports, in which the local boys are giving some very good exhibitions.

The results of the three competitions pulled off on Monday evening was as follows:

Tent pegging—1 Major Lister, 2 Lieut. Weston.

Lemon Cutting—1 H. Sherman, 5 points; 2 Sergt. Goodacre and Sergt. Paice, 3 points each.

Tilting the rings—1 Sergt. Goodacre, 2 Sergt. Lewis and K. Wellver.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gover, of Calgary, are the guests of Mrs. N. White.

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The little grandchild of Mr. Oldford, Penhold, who is visiting Mr. Oldford with his parents for a few days, had the misfortune to fall out of the loft on Monday and break his arm.

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Postmaster Tom Edis leaves today (Wednesday) for Vancouver to attend the Canadian Postmasters' Annual Convention at the Hotel Vancouver. He will be away for about ten days.

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The Balmoral Hospital Ladies' Aid made the following donations to the Memorial Hospital last week: For Balmoral ward, pair of curtains and rods, pair of pillows and pillow cases, pair of all wool blankets. For general use, sixteen dozen fresh eggs.

CITY PAYS LIBERALLY IN SUPPORT OF FAIR

There appears to be some criticism of the city of Red Deer for alleged failure to contribute to the support of the Red Der Fair, and the statement has been made by some that the Municipal Districts were doing more that way than the city itself.

The following statement of the expenditures by the city of Red Deer on exhibition property in the year 1921 is interesting in view of these inferences:

Debenture payments	$2725.47
Insurance	314.49
Repairs, etc.	369.62
Extra police and firemen	50.00
Total	$3459.58

This amounts to over two mills on the dollar in making this year's tax levy. Every property owner will pay over $2.00 on each $1,000.00 of his assessment this year for the exhibition property.

As this expenditure is solely for the purpose up keeping up the property and buildings used by the Fair, the city officials consider that they are making a very liberal contribution, although it is in this somewhat indirect way.

HILL END NOTES

A very successful and pleasant afternoon was spent Thursday, when the Ladies' Aid met at Mrs. Willock's place. The Hill End and Clarandon picnic was discussed. It was decided that it should be held on Wednesday, July 26th, on Mr. Healy's place, one half mile west of the Hill End school. Everybody come and have a good time. Ladies please bring baskets.

Mrs. Pargeter and little Doris, of Calgary, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hill.

Miss H. Sodeman is visiting her friends at Hill End. The pupils are glad to see their old teacher again.

Last Monday evening a church meeting was held in Edwell school for the purpose of calling a minister for the three points, Willowdale, Edwell and Hill End. Owing to the good attendance and the unanimous vote of the people, Rev. Mr. Hughes was called again.

The roads around here have been greatly improved this year, partly owing to the good management of Mr. A. Hadley.

E. G. Hill (junior) and family have E. G. Hill (junior) and family have moved on to Mr. Langevin's place.

Just lately wedding bells have been ringing around this part of the world. Happy congratulations are extended to both parties.

BASEBALL

Baseball game at the Fair Grounds, Wednesday, at 6:30.

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Boys' Knickers 99c
Boys' Tweed Suits from $4.95

Babies Bonnets

Group No. 1 priced at 25c
Group No. 2 priced at 75c

Men's Wear

Men's Work Shirts 99c
Men's Sport Shirts $1.95
Men's Negligee Shirts $1.50
Men's Cotton Night Shirts $1.39
Men's Shirts and Drawers 49c
$2.00 Caps for 99c

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THE PARLIAMENTARY REVIEW

Ottawa.—The closing scenes of the last session clearly illustrated the deplorable conditions in the government party when they succumbed to the most vicious influences in our public life and the greatest resources of our country were only saved from being forever alienated by the determined stand of the Senate. Assisted by the Progressives in the Commons they had made E. W. Backus, viceroy of Northwestern Ontario, and dictator of Manitoba and had opened the door for a group of government supporters to secure the richest coal fields in Western Canada.

In 1920 Raney, Drury & Co., handed E. W. Backus, an American exploiter of Canadian resources, control of the timber resources of the Kenora district. Not content with this they also gave him the immense waterpower of that area, putting at his mercy all the business interests and in addition giving him in a great measure control of the power production for Winnipeg and Manitoba. Those familiar with the colossal interests involved were aghast at the Raney-Drury gift to Backus and the federal government was beseeched to protect Canadian interests. Last year Hon. Arthur Meighen, after a conference with Premier Norris of Manitoba and Ontario representatives, passed federal legislation which would prevent Backus from coercing our people in Northwestern Ontario and Manitoba. This Hon. Mr. Drury repudiated at the dictation of Backus, but the federal protection stood. This session Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King is in power, and a desperate attempt by Liberals and Progressives was made to subordinate Canadians to the mercy of this foreign adventurer. Their united forces won, in spite of the efforts of Mr. Meighen and his followers in the Commons, but the Senate could not be coerced. Many Liberal senators joined with the solid Conservative representation to secure protection for Canadians as against the foreign master of Raney-Drury & Co.—E. W. Backus, Minneapolis, U.S. Mr. Meighen's protective measure still stands and Mr. King's attempt to give the control of an empire to Backus failed.

What was even worse was the attempt of the Liberals and Progressives to exploit for party friends and American capitalists the greatest of Canada's resources—the famous Hope coal lands in Northern Alberta. No one can estimate the wealth of these great anthracite coal fields. Some experts place their value at one hundred million dollars. It was this great field of national wealth lying close to the Canadian National Railways that the Liberals and Progressives were prepared to alienate from the people to make wealthy party supporters and allies in Ottawa and Montreal.

Before the war a German-American named Hoppe received a large coal concession on the Smoky River, Alberta. In 1918 the Union Government discovered that Hoppe was an active German sympathizer and also that he was behind in his rentals. The leases were cancelled. An enquiry in the Senate in 1919 showed these leases to be of enormous value and the government announced they would be returned for the benefit of the people. It was discovered that the cancellation proceedings were illegal and a bill was introduced this session to legalize this and other cancellations. Then it was discovered that a group of Grit politicians had got together to secure these leases and dispose of them for several million dollars to an American syndicate. The statement was openly made in the Senate that Senators and other public men of the Liberal party were in the deal. The Senate added a clause that these leases could not be disposed of except by Act of Parliament, thus taking it out of the power of the Minister of Interior to alienate them from the people. It was this clause that Hon. Mr. King and Liberals and Progressives in the Commons sought to eliminate to give this rich plum to party heelers. It was rich without doubt as at least $3,000,000 was theirs as soon as they secured the leases. But the Conservative Senators stood firm and the Liberal land grab failed.

In the days of Sifton there never was such a flagrant attempt to grab the country's chief resources as the Liberals sought to put through this session.

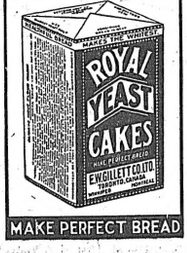
These are but two of the attempts to alienate control of resources the Liberals were guilty of this session. Millions would have been squandered to pay election pledges if the Conservatives in the Commons and Senate had not stood firm. The promises of purity have gone the way of the promised soldiers' gratuity, cabinet corporation directorates, free agricultural implements, and in fact the whole Liberal platform.

Ottawa, July, 1922.—(Special Correspondence)—At the time of the House division on the budget, reference was made in this correspondence, and, indeed, in certain Conservative dailies, to signs of a working alliance between Progressives and Liberals. This referred, not only to conditions in the Commons, but to indications of co-operation by Liberals and the U.F.O. in the forthcoming Ontario contest. Liberal newspapers carefully refrained from comment until, some two weeks later, Ottawa correspondents of the Toronto Globe "released" some "dope" on the subject. Since the party bell-wether has led the way, and shown that the matter is within the bounds of proper discussion, the remainder of the flock have permitted themselves to follow with observations of greater or less profundity. As a matter of fact, this little incident constitutes one of the most significant features of the situation. The Globe, being two weeks or so late with the stuff, could not possibly have published the despatch as news. That being the case, it was published for a purpose. In brief, the wish is father to the thought. The King Government is in office—not in power—and the situation of depending upon casual Progressive support is well-nigh intolerable. Hence the yearning for a definite entente cordiale. Now that the session is over at Toronto, The Globe, which has been hammering the Drury Government all spring for its misdeeds, can even see with the eye of hope a U.F.O.-Liberal alliance in Ontario. Provincial leaders of both wings deny that there is "anything doing," as they naturally would, but Premier Drury is on record in regard to a "People's Party"—J. J. Morrison to the contrary notwithstanding—and being a Liberal himself will certainly not spurn aid from that party, especially with existing prospects in regard to the labor wing. It will be recalled that Ontario did not elect a single Labor member to the House of Commons last December.

ONE TROPHY, ANYWAY

Discriminatory as the wheat rate may be in its relation to the East, it is fortunate for Progressives that they have at least this one trophy to lay at the feet of the Western electorate. Aside from this, their devotion to the Liberal Government throughout the session might almost have been said to have gone unrewarded. Reduced cost of living was one of the group's main planks, and in the campaign the Meighen government, burdened as it was with inescapable war expenditure, was continually assailed for extravagance. Yet the new administration, in piping times of peace, has not only failed to meet the West in regard to tariff reductions, but has added fifty per cent. to the sales tax, which bears on the "masses of the people" for whom Mr. King expressed so much anxiety during the campaign. There are now excise taxes which Mr. Fielding's predecessor never imposed, and withal, the finance minister can see no chance of making the budget balance for the year. The admission from his own lips is the more astounding when it is recalled that in the estimates a cool $77,000,000 is cut from the proposed expenditure on railways—and nobody knows how that is going to be made good. To return to the Progressives: They have been disappointed in the tariff, even in regard to the British preference; cost of living has not been reduced; nothing has been done about redistribution—the Government could not even find time for discussion of Captain Shaw's resolution thereon; discussion of proportional representation got nowhere; the Hudson's Bay railway was scarcely mentioned, and instead of taking advantage of a chance to prohibit traffic in oleomargarine, as might have been expected from an agricultural bloc, Progressives 'bit off their own nose to spite their face" and rejected the plan because, though urged by dairymen, it had the appearance of "protection." In regard to the Wheat Board, they think they have something they can use, though only two provinces can participate, and events will show whether a "closed market within an open one," as Mr. Meighen put it, is workable.

RICH IN VITAMINES



MAKE PERFECT BREAD

"COMBINES AND MERGERS"

Everybody recalls how Hon. James Murdock, stumping Western Ontario with the present Premier, raved about "combines and mergers." Closing of the first session of the Fourteenth Parliament, with Mr. Murdock as a minister of the Crown, reveals the astounding fact that whatever conditions existed before the election in regard to profiteering, presumably exist still, for nothing has been done about it. New taxation takes an additional whack at the "masses of the people," but there is no new tax on wealth. The income tax remains; the corporation tax is no higher. Even the stamp tax is modified in favor of those who write the big cheques. Can it be said that there are no illegal commercial monsters after all? Quizzed about it in the House, Mr. Murdock thought he had been "a bit too optimistic." Whatever was said about the textile industry must have been a mistake, for Sir Charles Gordon, head of Dominion Textiles, is now representing this government at Genoa. It is doubtful if the rank and file of the party swallowed very much of the campaign twaddle on this subject. At any rate, a naive confession by the London Advertiser, Liberal organ in Western Ontario, is of interest. In regard to a Brantford steel plant especially equipped during the war, and paying high wages for exacting work, the Advertiser says:

"In the term between then and now no person has been standing around to observe the costly efforts of this and other plants to make these places sources of employment. There is little attention paid to the "profiteer" who has shot his money in an attempt to keep going and provide employment. No one loves a profiteer, but, in justice, let it be said that many of them are coming out of the game in the end poorer than when they went in, and they are getting mighty little credit for it either."

It is unfortunate that these elevating thoughts could not have been expressed by the Liberal press during the election campaign; but justice is traditionally slow.

EAST IS SACRIFICED

Now that the Dominion Railway Commission has announced its order-in reduction on certain commodities, the full significance of the sacrifice which has been made of Eastern manufacturers and farmers is even more evident than when pointed out by Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen and Sir Henry Drayton in the Commons. As a result of the report of a special House committee on railway freight rates, the 1897, or Crow's Nest schedule, has been reverted to, with respect to wheat and flour—a very important concession indeed to Western grain growers. The Crow agreement, it is true, has been further suspended otherwise, but it will be noted that the list of commodities listed by the Commission for further reductions—almost down to the rates existing prior to the 1920 increases—comprises nearly all those articles affected by the Crow's Nest agreement. They are not "foodstuffs," as proclaimed by the Toronto Globe in a reference to the agreement, but building materials, lime and plaster, cement, iron, fertilizers and the like. Together with the grain rate cut ordered by Parliament, the loss to the C.P.R. is estimated at $11,000,000, and of course the Canadian National Railways must reduce rates to the same extent. Eastern Canada will meet the resultant deficit next year, while the grain growers market their grain at rates effective 25 years ago, and get their supplies at reduced charges. Coal from the head of the lakes westward will be carried at rates prevailing before the increases of September, 1920.

WOUD NEVER KICK

Minister (talking about landlady)—And what do you think of the character of St. Paul?

Landlady—Ah, he was a good soul. Do you remember how he once said he should eat what's set before us and ask no questions for conscience sake? I've often thought I'd have liked him for a boarder."

I.O.O.F. INSTALLATION

On July 3, D.D.G.M., Bro. C. E. Rowland and suite visited Wakasoo Lodge No. 16, Red Deer, and installed the following officers for the present term:—

P.G.—Bro. Horace J. Meeres
N.G.—Bro. B. Dennett
V.G.—Bro. W. H. Hanna
Treasurer—Bro. R. C. Stone
Fin.-Secretary—Bro. E. L. Beckett
Rec.-Secretary—Bro. J. J. Dale
Chap.—Bro. J. C. Cairns

After the ceremonies, a very pleasant social evening was spent in which the Rebecca sisters took part and greatly added to the enjoyment by their presence.

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WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX HITS LOW MARK FOR JUNE

But Retail Price of Food, Fuel and Rent Is Slightly Larger.

Ottawa, July 13.—The index of wholesale prices, which is kept by the price and statistics branch of the labor department shows a small decline for the month of June, while the index of retail prices for food, fuel and rent show a very small increase.

The index of wholesale prices for June was 224.3, which was the lowest point it had reached since March, 1917. The corresponding figure for May was 226.1 and for June of last year, 242.6.

The fall in this index number is stated to be due almost entirely to declines in agricultural products and foods, though these groups showed advances in some articles. The chief changes for the month were increases in hogs and hog products, dressed lamb, cheese, granulated sugar, wool, raw silk, cotton, jutes and hessians and in hides, with smaller increases in cattle and beef and in metals and substantial declines in western grains, fodders, sheep, some lines of fish, onions, flour and linseed oil.

In retail prices, according to the department of labor, the average cost of a list of 29 staple foods in 60 cities was $10.18 in June, as compared with $10.22 at the beginning of May, and $11.16 in June, 1921.

ASSASSIN FAILS TO "GET" PREMIER OF FRANCE

Paris, July 14.—Three shots were fired today at Prefect of Police Naudin by Gustave Bouvet, an anarchist, well known to the police, in the belief that it was President Millerand at whom he was aiming. None of the shots took effect.

The shots were fired while the parade was passing along the Champs Elyses at the corner of the Avenue Marigny. The assailant was standing behind a woman and the flare from the revolver scorched her dress. The dense crowd around was at first terrified by the shots. Then it turned upon the man who had fired them, and he was being beaten by the enraged spectators when the police came up and seized him.

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LET UP ON LAND TAX IS ADVICE TO VANCOUVER

Dr. Adam Shortt, Eminent Economist, Advises Land Sales Profit Tax

Victoria, B.C., July 15.—Drastic changes in the city's method of doing business and the levy of new taxes are recommended by Dr. Adam Shortt, of Ottawa, who investigated the city's finances recently. He urges the city council to scrap its present system of collecting most of its revenue from land, to continue taxation of improvements, to inaugurate an income tax and a tax on land sales profits and to reform its whole present tax collection system.

Not only should the city thus broaden its field of taxation and get away from the single tax system, but it should aid overburdened land owners to pay up their arrears by giving them plenty of time to meet their payments, and should, in addition, offer liberal concessions to former owners who wish to redeem property which has reverted to the corporation.

To prevent cities from falling into serious financial difficulties, Dr. Shortt advocates the formation of a new municipal commission, which, through an inspector, would enjoy broad powers of control over British Columbia's municipalities.

EMERGENCY SESSION OF ALBERTA LEGISLATURE RE. WHEAT BOARD IS PROBABLE

Practically All Members of the Government Met in Conference on Saturday with the Result that Premier Is Likely to Summon Session of House Early in August—Objections to Scheme Said to Have Been Outvoted By Majority.

The Alberta government will within the next few days send out a call for a special session of the provincial legislature to authorize the establishment of an inter-province wheat board.

This much may be stated following a conference in Edmonton Saturday of nearly all the U.F.A. members in the province with Premier Greenfield and the cabinet. Although the premier and other ministers, as well as the private members, refused absolutely to discuss the conference or commit themselves in any way to a statement as to what took place at the caucus, and refused to say whether or not a special session had been decided upon, it can be said that the majority of the U.F.A. group in the house was in favor of the wheat marketing scheme and accordingly a summons for the emergency session of the legislative assembly will probably be announced by Premier Greenfield early in the week.

It is likely that the date for the session will be either August 3rd or 4th, it being legal for the government to decide upon a session at any time. While the time is rapidly drawing near to harvest, and it will be necessary to have the inter-provincial wheat board functioning as soon as possible, it is practically certain that the premier will give two weeks' notice of the session at least.

GREENFIELD IS SILENT

"I have no statement of any kind to make," was Premier Greenfield's reply when asked as to the outcome of the conference Saturday. "Possibly the government will make some announcement Tuesday, but I cannot promise that this will be done."

The premier said he expected Hon. Mr. Hoadley back Sunday night. Hon. Mr. Baker is still out of the city, too. However, the premier said it would not be absolutely necessary to have another meeting of the executive council before the government's statement was issued. From this it may be gathered that the U.F.A. members' conference Saturday decided definitely that there should be a special session of the house called, and that the date should be an early one.

MAY LAST TWO WEEKS

It is understood that the majority of the private members of the government expect the session to be largely perfunctory, but those more experienced in the ways of legislatures and law making are inclined to forecast a session lasting at least a couple of weeks. The debate on the advisability of Alberta joining with Saskatchewan in a government managed wheat marketing project is sure to be somewhat prolonged, and other matters of legislation will inevitably be brought before the house once it is in session.

Some of the northern members of the house are said to have been either opposed, or decidedly lukewarm, toward the formation of a government wheat pool, but apparently they were overwhelmed by the members from the heavier wheat growing districts where crop prospects are much better at present than for the past three or four seasons.

HONOR OF CANADIAN CHEESE HANGS IN THE BALANCE AT HAMLETS

London, July 14.—Special inquiries with regard to the reported epidemic of food poisoning in the Tower Hamlets district regarding which it was said that 90 percent. of the 97 sufferers had partaken of Canadian cheese purchased in the district, show that there were 32 families, comprising 97 individuals affected. The majority of the cases occurred on Sunday, July 2.

The manager of the shop where the chees was sold states that on the previous Friday new Canadian cheese was cut, and was entirely sold by Monday. Only individuals who ate this particular cheese were affected. A feature of the case was that some who had eaten a mere fragment of the cheese were the most severely ill, while several who had eaten a considerable quantity suffered no ill effects. The trouble, therefore, appears to have been entirely a local one. The ministry of health, which sent a special medical investigator to look into the matter, admitted that the case was almost unique. All the victims of the poisoning are improving.

ORANGE LADIES' PICNIC

The picnic of the Ladies Orange Lodge at Waskasoo Park, Red Deer, to celebrate the Glorious Twelfth had not much more than fairly got under way on Wednesday afternoon when the rain storm broke, and drove the picnickers out of the Park. They took refuge in the Orange Hall, and the programme of races, etc., was run off on the street in front of the hall; the juniors enjoyed the event hugely. A dance in the hall closed the day.

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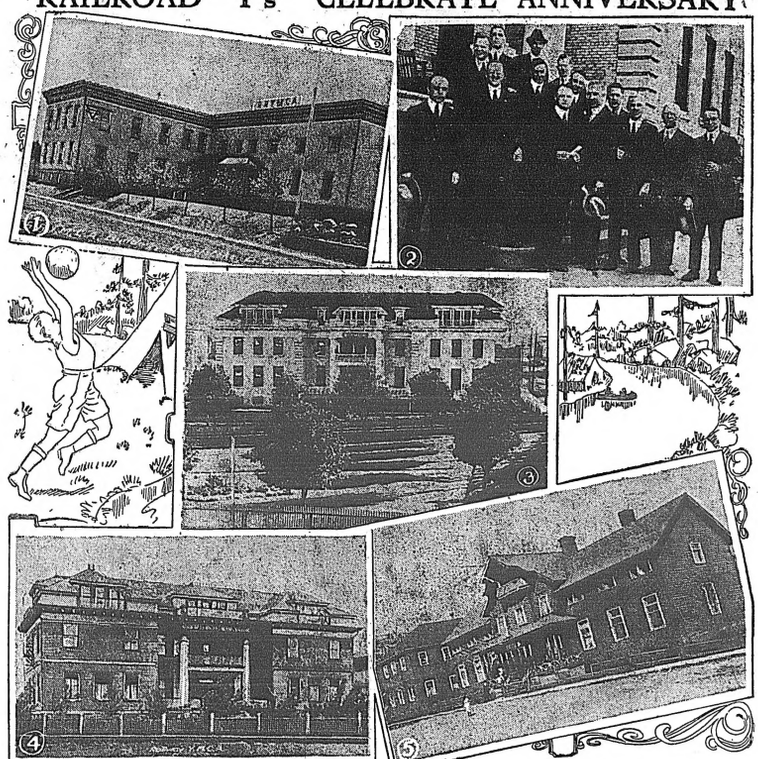

(1) Canadian Pacific Y building at Revelstoke, B.C.; (2) A group of all secretaries in connection with this branch of the service who held a recent conference at Kenora; (3) The C.P.R.'s well-equipped building at Kenora; (4) Cranbrook, in the Crow's Nest Pass of the Rocky Mountains, has a branch of the Association with a large and active membership; (5) Schreiber, Ont., is another point at which a railroad "Y" is established.

A CLUB that is popularly known as the "greatest workingman's club in the world," celebrated its semi-centennial Sunday, June 11. That day was a memorable one for the 125,000 railroad men who compose the membership of the 269 railroad associations of North America. That date was the fiftieth anniversary of the birth of the railroad department of the Y. M. C. A. This jubilee was observed in many small, as well as in most of the large railroad centres, not only in the United States, but at the various points in Canada where railroad "Y's" are established. The participants were both railroad employees and executives.

"Y" work has been carried on in eastern and western Canada by the Canadian Pacific Railway for the benefit of its employees for the past 15 years with satisfactory results. The general public has little conception of the stupendous contribution being made by the Canadian Pacific Company to the moral, physical and recreational welfare of its employees and their families, through the whole-hearted support the company is extending to the railroad "Y's."

The Canadian Pacific has established branches of the association at Ignace, Kenora, Chapleau, White River, Schreiber, Field, Revelstoke and Cranbrook. The company provides the building, gives a cash donation of $100 a month, as well as providing ice in the summer and fuel during the winter months.

The railroad Y.M.C.A. buildings are open day and night for railroad workers. An effort is made to provide comforts and stimulating programmes for the moral and mental development and physical recreation. The objective of the association is to provide a homelike place "at the other end of the run," to insure proper rest, wholesome environment and stimulus to the qualities that make for sound character. In all activities the steadfast aim is to develop the highest type of sportsmanship.

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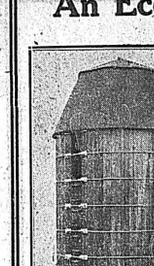

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WELCOME TO OUR CITY.

As this issue of The News comes off the press, the Red Deer Fair is getting nicely under way. This important event in the agricultural program of the province of Alberta always brings an influx of visitors to our city. On this occasion, as in the past, and we hope for many years to come, we welcome you to our midst and hope you will enjoy your sojourn here.

It is inevitable that there should be some who are not as welcome as the rest, who are attracted by the carnival and the possibility of making some easy money where a crowd is gathered for a holiday. Our officers of the law will keep their weather eye on all such.

But the men who raise the stock on exhibition at the grounds, and those who come from the farms, the towns and the hamlets of Central Alberta to see the exhibits and enjoy the Fair with us, are among the best types of citizens that Canada boasts today. We bid you welcome to our city, and we offer you the best accommodation at our command. Come again whenever you can.

PLAY THE GAME

No, sir, the country has not gone to the bow wows. There is just as much money in the world as ever there was, but a lot of it is out of circulation because some people will insist in preaching the gospel of blue ruin. These people have harped on this strain so long that they are beginning to believe it themselves now, and have succeeded in scaring a lot of other people.

It has been remarked in these columns before, and never successfully challenged, that hard times exist in the imagination only: it is a mental state of the people, as a whole, that makes these conditions possible. Red Deer is blessed (or whatever you call it) with more than her proper share of calamity howlers. On more than one occasion lately we have been told by travellers that there is more grousing about hard times here than in any place they visit, and yet they fail to see half as much cause for it as there is in a good many other places.

Look at the chronic optimism that has prevailed year after year among many who live in the south, even in the face of repeated crop failures. We are a long way from a crop failure in this district, and even if the crop had failed altogether, there is another year coming. Alberta is noted for being the greatest "next year" country in the world, which is merely another way of saying that optimists are plentiful in our midst.

Take a look for the bright spots on the horizon, Mr. Blueman, instead of continually looking at the black cloud that may be passing over your head. Hard times are due to fear. Fear of what? We don't know, do you? Fear is due to a diseased mental condition and never has been known to help people out of their difficulties. Face your difficulties and overcome them, don't let them overcome you. In the words of the old football coach—"Buck up and play the game."

CITY FINANCING

The recommendations of Prof. Adam Shortt to the City of Vancouver on the question of taxation and the collection of taxes, are worthy of the consideration of all western cities, as most of these corporations are suffering from the same malady. Prof. Shortt is an economist of much more than ordinary note and is recognized as an authority on matters of the kind.

In the first place, Prof. Shortt drives another spike into the casket that holds the last remains of the once popular idol of theorists, single tax. He commends the city of Vancouver for the taxation of improvements. There is very little difference of opinion on the advisability of this course. While it may not be the ideal theory to collect taxes where they may be got most easily, it is a very convenient rule of action, in any case, for the city that must have the money to carry on.

Prof. Shortt urges Vancouver to scrap its present system of collecting most of its revenue from land. Thanks to Commissioner Stephenson, the course which Prof. Shortt now recommends is the course which Red Deer adopted early in the present year, and which led to the Advocate man's appeal as recorded in history. The News took the stand at that time that the Commissioner's course was well chosen in the matter: it would be interesting to know how much the city's collection of taxes has been improved this year by the readjustment in the matter of assessment. Prof. Shortt also favors an income tax and a tax on land sales profits, another instance of the fact that he favors getting the money where the money is.

This economist also favors a liberal policy in dealing with those who are in arrears of taxes. He is no friend of those who advocate taking the pound of flesh regardless of the consequences. Give the overburdened taxpayer plenty of time to pay up his arrears, and do not close the door of mercy even on those who have allowed their land to revert to the city, is the gist of his advice. Give liberal concessions to those who wish to redeem property which has reverted to the corporation. Give them a chance to get back on to the tax roll and incidentally to redeem the equity in the property to which they and they alone are morally entitled.

The News commends Commissioner Stephenson for investigating the possibility of floating an issue of treasury notes for the city of Red Deer, to fund the floating indebtedness of the city and relieve the immediate burdens of the taxpayer. This again is the course which The News advocated a few months ago as the only thing that could be done in justice to the taxpayers. The Commissioner has gathered sufficient data to prove that such an issue can be floated, but the rate of interest seems rather high for such a loan.

The City Council is well advised to wait a little while before proceeding to issue the treasury notes, as a few months will not make any difference in this year's financing, which is already arranged, or in this year's tax rate, which has been struck, and cannot be altered now. Something must be done, however, before the time comes to strike the rate for next year, whether the interest rate be lower or higher. If a man were drowning in the lake very few people would wait until next week to give him assistance merely because somebody said that life preservers would be cheaper next week than they are today. The frugal Alberta housewife might hesitate about buying fresh strawberries in February, preferring to wait until June when they are cheaper; but when she needs bread in February, she invariably gets it in February, even though she expects it will be cheaper in June. The distinction arises from the fact that bread is a necessity, while strawberries are more or less of a luxury. The issue of the proposed treasury bills is no luxury; it is a stern necessity.

From the collection of arrears of taxes on the easy terms that would then be possible, and from the sale of lands, held by the city, that should cease within the specified time, the payment of the amount borrowed on the ten year treasury bills, should look after itself even at a fairly high rate of interest. The lowering of the tax rate next year will have the effect of encouraging people to improve their properties and thus hasten the return of prosperity. There is nothing in the city's position to cause undue alarm; all it needs is courageous treatment.

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GREENFIELD SENDS HURRY UP CALL FOR ALL FARMER M.L.A.'S

MEMBERS OF OTHER PARTIES NOT INVITED

Farmer Members Are Not All United in Favor of Wheat Board; Three Obstacles in the Way.

U. F. A. members of parliament, summoned on rush orders, were meeting in conference in Edmonton on Saturday, called on the gallop by Premier Greenfield to discuss action on the wheat board. Other members of parliament, not owing allegiance to the government, have not been invited to the caucus.

The announcement was made on Thursday night that no action would be taken until Mr. Hoadley and Mr. Baker, members of the government, returned to Edmonton. That is likely true, but before the announcement the opinions of the farmer members will be sounded. Several of the southern members passed through Calgary on the way north on Friday morning.

There is no wide flare of publicity about the caucus, and the impression given was that it was to be an the quiet. It was feared that some of the members might not be able to attend.

The members do not seem any too enthusiastic about action. There are two or three obstacles in the way.

One is the late date. It is feared that nothing can be done under most favorable conditions until well after grain shipment is begun. That would mean the national marketing of wheat would be started under somewhat adverse conditions.

The second cause of alarm is the fact that there is no assurance of any kind that Manitoba will come into the pool. In that case the national marketing of wheat would not be started under the most favorable circumstances.

The third cause for alarm is the financing of the undertaking. The provinces would have to do the financing. The financing would be somewhat extensive. Under the circumstances, according to the members of the legislature, there is strong probability that the province will take no action this year.

SASKATCHEWAN MEMBERS ORDERED TO STAND BY

Regina, Sask., July 15.—A call to members of the Saskatchewan legislature to stand by ready for a special session of the house at a moment's notice to enact wheat marketing legislation, provided Alberta is willing to do its share in the passage of legislation concurrent to the federal act, was sent out by the Saskatchewan government yesterday.

Pointing out that the time is short, if a wheat board is to be in operation in time to handle this year's crop, telegrams were dispatched from the parliament buildings to every member of the provincial house, involving 63 messages.

No word of any decision of the Alberta government had reached Regina today and when asked when the proposed special session of the Saskatchewan assembly is likely to be held in the event of Alberta government agreeing to take similar action, Premier Dunning said:

"Just as soon as another province makes it possible for us to call one."

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GEO. W. SMITH TALKED OF ROADS

The Board of Trade luncheon, which was held at the Travellers, Saturday, was attended by 47 persons. W. J. Kirby, president, introduced Geo. W. Smith, M.L.A., the speaker of the day. Mr. Smith spoke on various subjects until near the conclusion of his speech, when he explained the new legislation relative to the road building program.

Of the twenty-three municipalities under the supervision of E. Ainsworth, Lochearn and Prairie Creek were the only ones which were in difficulties. Mr. Smith gave Lochearn district $800 for road building, the district to get that sum must expend an equal amount. Arrangements have been made, according to Mr. Ainsworth, that the work be done in that municipality at half price. When the money was forthcoming from the provincial government it would not officially pass through the hands of the council.

Prairie Creek is to be given $725 for roads. The Council is solving the problem in a similar way to Lochearn. Bruce Williams, councillor of the Lochearn M.D., stated to the members $250 was being used in repairing the Lesliesville road.

At the conclusion of Mr. Smith's speech, many questions were answered by the member of the legislature and Mr. Ainsworth. After luncheon a deputation from the Edson district west of the river met Mr. Smith and Mr. Ainsworth at the Mount View Hotel.—Rocky Mountain House Gazette.

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MR. MEIGHEN SAID PROGRESSIVES HAD DONE BEST OF ALL PARTIES

Lethbridge, July 15.—Mr. Meighen said the Progressives were the only bunch of men in the house who could go back to their constituents with anything definitely achieved." These are the remarks of L. H. Jelliff, the Progressive member in the Dominion parliament for the Lethbridge riding. He made this statement at a meeting of his constituents held in Cardston.

Mr. Meighen had come to Mr. Jelliff toward the close of the session and for an hour they had discussed the result of the session. Mr. Meighen had come to that conclusion. Mr. Jelliff complained, however, that the members of the press gallery were not so enlightened.

There was present in the mind of nearly every newspaper man the thought that either these Progressives are a bunch of ignorant westerners or they are revolutionists who have come to Ottawa to uproot all the old traditions.

W. N. TILLEY, K.C., HAS FINE RECORD

Newly Elected Director of C.P.R. Widely Experienced in Constitutional Railway Law

W. N. TILLEY, K.C.

W. N. TILLEY, K.C., who has been added to the Board of Directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway due to the vacancy caused by the death of Sir John Eaton, is one of the leaders of the Canadian Bar. He has, in addition, specialized in railway legal work and has been actively engaged as counsel in all of the larger railroad questions in Canada since 1914.

Mr. Tilley's connection with the Canadian Pacific began about ten years ago, when he became Special Counsel for the Company, handling all their important Appeals and acting as Counsel in various Rate Enquiries. His connection became more intimate in 1918 when, upon the election of E. W. Beatty to the Presidency of the Company, he was appointed Consulting Counsel.

Mr. Tilley's wide experience in constitutional railway and corporation cases has resulted in his being retained both in the Canadian Courts and the Privy Council in most of the important issues of the past ten or twelve years. His first outstanding case being the International Fisheries Arbitration at the Hague, where he appeared as one of the counsel for the Dominion of Canada and Newfoundland. He has successively appeared as counsel for the Dominion Government in the Canadian Northern Arbitration and the Grand Trunk Arbitration, for the Ontario Government in the Ottawa School Case, and for the City of Toronto in the arbitration to fix the price to be paid to the Toronto Railway Company for its property. The Appeal from the Grand Trunk Award will be heard in July of this year and Mr. Tilley will appear as counsel for the Canadian Government.

Mr. Tilley was born at Bowmanville, Ontario, in 1868, the son of the late Dr. W. R. Tilley, Inspector of Public and High Schools. He was called to the Bar in 1894 and was Gold Medalist in his final year, in Law at Osgoode. He was created a K.C. in 1916.

Perhaps the outstanding characteristic of the C. P. R.'s new Director is his great mental capacity and physical vigor which enables him to grapple with one important case after another without apparent fatigue. He is a prodigious worker and an alert and resourceful counsel in Court. His coolness and clearness in argument are conspicuous and have earned for him many appreciations in the Courts in Canada and in England. By reason of his long experience and his sound judgment in commercial matters and in matters of finance, his advice is much sought in connection therewith. His election is additional evidence of the value to a large corporation of a trained lawyer with a comprehensive knowledge of business methods.

TEXT OF CHANGE IN LAW GOVERNING GUESSING CONTEST

DISPOSAL OF GOODS BY MODE OF CHANCE ILLEGAL

Paying of Money or Other Valuable Consideration is Prohibited.

The amendments to the criminal code passed by the Canadian senate and approved by the house of commons during the dying hours of the last session, appears to be of a more drastic nature than at first reported. In addition to placing the ban on all so-called guessing contests, the amendment provides for a heavy penalty for the offering of prizes by a newspaper where a game of chance or mixed chance and skill is involved.

The amendments dealing with guessing contests, which were approved by the Calgary board of trade, read as follows:

Sub-section 1 of section 235 of the Criminal Code is repealed and the following substituted:

"Any person who advertises, prints, publishes or exhibits, posts up or otherwise gives notice of any other invitation or inducement to bet, or to guess, or to foretell the result of any contest is guilty of an infraction of the criminal code and liable to the penalties provided therein.

"Any person who disposes of any goods, wares or merchandise by any game, or mode of chance or mixed chance and skill, in which the contestant or competitor pays money or other valuable consideration, is guilty of an offence under the code and liable to the penalties provided."

CROP OUTLOOK HAS GOOD EFFECT ON BUSINESS

Crop Reports Point to a Very Good Crop Generally on Prairies.

Winnipeg, July 15.—Continued fine weather throughout the three prairie provinces and splendid crop conditions are having a good effect on trade in the west, says the weekly report of the Canadian Credit Men's Trust association, issued here yesterday.

Advices from Montreal, Toronto, Brantford and Quebec say that wholesalers find business on a "steady upgrade." Activity is apparent in groceries, dry goods, textiles, men's and ladies' ready-to-wear and leathers. Hardware and lumber are more active than of late. Retail trade in country towns shows a slight improvement over a month ago and, taken altogether, the pointing of the trade index can be considered satisfactory.

Winnipeg and western wholesalers and manufacturers are gratified at the ideal crop weather over the west. Manitoba, with the exception of restricted areas, expects a good crop Saskatchewan crop reports are very satisfactory with the exception of those from around Saskatoon and from there to the Alberta boundary. Alberta advices show splendid conditions, especially in the southern part, and on these reports indications point to improved orders and collections during the coming fall.

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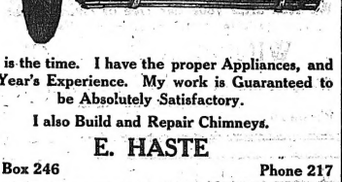

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Montreal as a Transportation Centre

(1) Place d'Armes Square and St. James Street, Canada's most important financial centre.
(2) Old stone tower that about 200 years ago were built as part of the outer protection of Montreal now overlooks St. Catherine Street, in what is Montreal's most exclusive residential district.
(3) Another bit of old Montreal, the Nelson Memorial, a small copy of the Trafalgar memorial in London. It was erected over 100 years ago.

THE recent celebration of the Centenary of the Montreal Board of Trade has recalled to memory the source of that city's original growth. A hundred years ago Montreal was the port of this Continent for the merchants who shipped to England the harvest of furs gathered by the trappers of the North-West in exchange for British money and goods; it was the half way station between the far-flung posts of the far interior and the markets overseas. The farming settlement of the West and the development of industries in Western Canada have changed the character of the traffic, and instead of the old sailing ships we have the coal and oil burning steamers of today, but the strategic strength of Montreal as a transportation and trading centre is still essentially the same. It is a terminal at a port on a waterway, which is the natural gateway into the interior of the North American Continent.

The canoes and batteaux of the old fur traders have given place to powerful locomotives capable of hauling a hundred or more forty-ton freight cars over a track of steel, and to transcontinental trains running from Atlantic to Pacific, just as the schooners of Quebec were the fore-runners of the great modern fleets of merchant steamers on the St. Lawrence.

There has been a tendency in some minds to think of railways rather as engineering undertakings than as merchandising organizations. Yet a railway depends for its prosperity chiefly on the traffic it can develop and that traffic is stimulated in no small degree by railway officials whose business it is to know the markets for whatever their country can produce. Their knowledge is indispensable to the farmer or manufacturer, and if they can add to that knowledge the service of adequate transportation, the railways to which they belong keep their freight cars moving. In a country such as Canada which depends for its existence so much on export, the natural merchandising headquarters are at its chief terminal and port, and under existing circumstances the most generally convenient centre for the interchange of such ocean-borne and rail-borne produce and goods as Canada markets in, or buys from Europe is certainly Montreal. Conditions of course may change, but the steady growth of Montreal as a transportation centre over a period of a hundred years without artificial stimulus or Governmental favoritism is an indication that its prosperity has come to stay. The two-fold interest of Montreal in ocean traffic and in land transportation has no doubt had its influence on the policy of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, which from its inception has been closely identified with Montreal men. That Company has become, so to speak amphibious, equally at home at sea, and on land. Its fleet upon the high seas now exceeds 425,000 tons in spite of the loss of many fine steamers such as the Calgarian during the Great War, no less than 130,000 tons having been added during the past year. Its railway tracks, owned and controlled, now total 10,872 miles with an equipment of 2,255 locomotives, 2,730 cars in passenger service, and 90,945 freight cars, while it has in Montreal the immense Angus Shops where locomotives, cars and indeed complete trains fully equipped in every detail are constructed with highly skilled labor recruited in Montreal.

But Montreal is becoming more than a port for Canada alone. It is assuming an international importance by reason of the fact that via its harbor lies the quickest and most comfortable way to Europe for those Americans who live in the Middle West. Canadian business stands to gain greatly by the growing popularity of the St. Lawrence route to Europe, and the C. P. R. is the great factor in developing this business. Fast trains from Minneapolis, St. Paul, Chicago, and Detroit enter Canada at Windsor, and after crossing Southern Ontario give guaranteed connection with the palatial Canadian Pacific "Empress" steamers bound for Cherbourg, Hambourg, Southampton and Liverpool. The great attraction for Americans in the St. Lawrence Route is in the shortening of the open sea journey. For two days the ship glides down the placid waters of the St. Lawrence river, the banks of which are as rich in historic association as in natural beauty, and the opportunity to visit the famous old cities of Montreal and Quebec, as well as see something of Canadian life in Ontario gives another added attraction to the journey.

Similar special trains run from the middle Western States give guaranteed connection with C. P. R. steamers on the Pacific bound for the Orient, and are helping to build up the port of Vancouver.—E. W. Beatty.

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They are good quality chip straws in becoming shapes for boys 8 to 14 years—just what the boys want for hot weather.

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Boys need a good sweater for wearing cool evenings, and these are in coat style in fancy stitch, brown and green heather mixed. Sizes 26, 28, 30, 32.

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Smart tams for motoring, golf and for all sports wear. They are fashioned of suede finished cloth and can be had in a wide choice of colors.

Women and Children's Dresses Marked at July Clearance Sales Price

WOMEN'S PRINT HOUSE DRESSES, JULY SALES PRICE $1.95 EACH

Smart, serviceable dresses for house wear. They are in neat striped print in light colors; nicely triumed and finished; mostly all sizes.

CHILDREN'S GINGHAM AND CHAMBRAY DRESSES, JULY SALES PRICE $1.95

Smart little styles, fashioned in plain and romper styles. The materials are fine quality gingham, chambray and beach cloth. Ages 2 to 10 years.

WHITE WASH SKIRTS, JULY CLEARANCE PRICE $1.95

Balance of all wash skirts clearing at this very low price. They are in smart styles of fine pique, jean cloth and fine duck; mostly all sizes.

WOMEN'S WHITE WAISTS, JULY SALES PRICE $1.25

They are of voile, pique and gaberdine; long sleeves; round and V neck. Nicely trimmed and finished.

LOVELY VOILE DRESSES, $13.95, $14.50 and $14.95 ..... JULY SALES PRICE $9.75

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WOMEN'S NATURAL CRASH WASH SKIRTS, JULY SALES PRICE, $2.29

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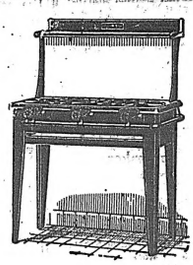

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Screen Windows, extending from 26 in. to 44 in. **July Sale Price 65¢**

GARDEN HOSE

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Railway News

Guelph. — Realizing that some effort should be made to preserve the old C. P. R. station building, the first house built in Guelph, which is located on a piece of ground at the foot of Woolwich Street, and which is fast going to ruin, the civic improvement committee of Guelph decided to make a move towards having improvements carried out to preserve the building.

Galt.—General Manager M. W. Kirkwood of the Lake Erie & Northern and Grand River Railways has announced that early in July work would be started on the new Union Depot on Main street. The plans have been finally approved and tenders have been called for. The building, which will be of rug brick construction, one storey in height, but later it is intended to add another storey, to accommodate the general offices now located in Scott's Block.

Moose Jaw.—The roof is now on the Dominion Express Company's new building, west of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company office building, and the work is being rushed with great speed. As soon as the Express Company building is in shape to be occupied, the old building will be removed and the work of installing the new tracks will be commenced.

In front of the new depot the concrete roadway is laid in squares of ten feet. The city electricians have completed the installation of the two electric light standards at the outer edges of the sidewalks on both sides of the roadway.

Galt.—After 40 years of continuous and faithful service as an employee of the C. P. R., Alex. McKean, city ticket agent here for the past 16 years, joined the list of the superannuated and his place was taken by John Campbell, for many years a permanent resident of Galt, at one time depot and freight agent, but for the past several years travelling passenger agent.

Mr. McKean commenced his railroad career in the freight audit department at Winnipeg, was agent at High Bluff, Manitoba, for a couple of years and for 17 years successfully conducted a mercantile business in Mount Forest, handling railway, steamship, telegraph and express services. It was from Mount Forest that he came to Galt in 1906.

Vancouver. — Vancouver's first transcontinental railway train entered the city thirty-five years ago, when prophecies were made which have now reached full realization. In the address of welcome to Henry Abbott, who was then superintendent of the Pacific Division of the C. P. R., Mayor M. A. Maclean drew a word-picture of Vancouver in the future which is now a fact.

Vancouver's first train was drawn by an old wood-burning type engine and included a baggage, colonist sleeper and pullman and drawing-room cars of the latest type at that date. The engine was draped in evergreens and bore placards bearing inscriptions "From Ocean to Ocean" and many mottoes declaring the achievements of the men who undertook the construction of the C. P. R.

P. Barnhardt was conductor and P. Righter, engineer.

The celebration of the arrival of the train was carried on far into the night, the city band serenading officials of the C. P. R. and a torch-light procession being staged through the city.

Woodstock, Ontario.—In the death of Charles Garden, C.E., which occurred at the residence of Col. F. H. J. Dibblee recently, there passed away the last male member in his generation, of a family associated with the history and progress of Woodstock for well-nigh, if not quite, a century. Mr. Garden was connected with the building of the C. P. R. through the Rockies. He was one of the advance guard of the exploration party. The route of this party was via the N. P. R. to Bismark, Dakota, up the Missouri to Benton and thence by trek to Calgary and up the Bow. Only one party came over the Rockies' summit. Mr. Garden was transit man and the party consisted of fifteen men. They came through the Vermillion, south of Kickinghorse and made their way to what is now called "Golden." They built "The Cache" which has ever since remained, with, of course, extensive restorations and is now known as Moodie's House.

In 1884-5, Mr. Garden worked on C. P. R. construction near Lake Superior on White River, Peninsula Harbor, at which time that the first through C. P. R. train went to Vancouver. He was later engaged on construction on the Deloraine branch to the Coal Mines for the C. P. R. He had charge of location and construction on Souris Branch and was for some years in office work in Winnipeg. In 1897 he was on the location of the Crow's Nest branch, locating the loop and tunnel at Michael Creek.

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NEW COMMUNITY HALL AT RIDGEWOOD

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The community of Ridgewood had a gala day that will go down into history. The people gathered from far and near last Friday morning, and for the balance of the daylight hours of a western day noted for its long evenings, the picnic continued as one continuous round of pleasure. The day was all that could be desired, except for a few drops of rain that fell during the afternoon, but these only served to give a little variety to the events of the day.

Races, athletic events, baseball, bucking contests, steer riding and all the exciting events of a really up to the minute picnic were enjoyed to the full. The Penhold baseball team carried off the honors in the ball games, although the lady rooters from Burnt Lake were accorded the championship in their own special line of activity.

The refreshment stand did a roaring business all day and well into the night, and the contents of baskets holding bushels of the best eatables in the land disappeared as if by magic.

The Community Hall itself is 30 feet by 60 feet, and is a credit to the industry and enterprise of the community. We are informed that all the work on the building was donated, but even at that the expenditure for lumber and other building materials will run well over $1,000. The outside of the building was completed at the time of the opening last week, but the inside has not been sealed as yet. A good platform has been built at the front of the hall, and an excellent floor has been laid in the entire building.

As darkness came on, the people gathered into the building for the concert and dance. Wm. Rogers acted as chairman, and in a few introductory remarks called on Mr. Sigurdson to officially open the hall.

Mr. Sigurdson said that he had been asked to perform that office because he was the oldest resident in the community. He was glad to see that, and thought it should help to keep the young people contented on the farms of the district. They were naturally proud of their achievement in getting the hall erected, and he hoped that it would be used for good purposes. While it was to be expected that there would be a good many dances held in the building, he hoped that it would be used for many other things that would be even more helpful to the young people. He then declared the building open to the public for community purposes.

A short musical program followed, several numbers being rendered by E. G. Johns, Reg. Taylor and H. F. Kenny, Red Deer, with Mrs. Johns and Mrs. Taylor acting as accompanists. Many expressions of approval of the musical selections were given by the very appreciative audience. The visiting vocalists also took the opportunity of congratulating the people of the community on their enterprise in building the hall, and proffered the services of Red Deer talent in assisting them to put on musical entertainments in the future. The singing of O Canada and the National Anthem brought the program to a close and the floor was cleared for dancing. The Nulty Orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Kinna, provided the music for the dance, and although the immense crowd made dancing rather difficult, the people enjoyed themselves immensely until daylight. An abundance of refreshments were served shortly after midnight.

Quick Results

May be depended upon from the use of our Want Ads. The births, deaths, marriages and the other Classified Columns are usually included in even a very perfunctory perusal of the paper. They are as good for general business as they are for "Help Wanted," etc.

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Railway News

Nakusp, B.C.—As an indication of the increased industrial activity of the lumber mills of Nakusp, the Nakusp Lumber Company find their yarding room so limited that they have cleared about four acres of land near the first siding east along the C. P. R., where a spur will be built and the lumber hauled up in cars and allowed to dry before being shipped to outside points.

Invermere, B.C. — Amongst the many splendid summer publications of the C. P. R. are two of especial interest to this part. The first one deals with "Bungalow Camps," and makes very generous mention of the beautiful Lake Windermere Camp adjoining this place. The other one is a publication given over exclusively to describing the local "Camp." This is a seventeen-page folder, most beautifully illustrated with reproductions of photographs of local scenes. The letter press is by Mr. Frederic Niven.

The first of the matter is descriptive of the various trails and automobile roads throughout the Windermere district.

Chatham, Ontario. — Wholesale summoning of boys and men who frequently use the C. P. R. tracks as a place for walks, was indicated in County Police court recently, with the swearing out of a number of informations by a C. P. R. detective who conducted an investigation.

It is alleged that the defendants trespassed on the C. P. R. tracks, a short distance from the City in Harwich township.

Informations have also been laid against seven boys under the age of sixteen years.

Montreal.—Edward J. Richel is appointed city passenger agent for the Canadian Pacific at Chicago, succeeding Alfred R. Dean, who has resigned to enter other business.

Mr. Richel joined the service on June 16, 1920, as clerk in the passenger department, Canadian Pacific Steamships, Chicago. Promotions following were: October 1, 1920, chief clerk; January 21, 1921, passenger agent; June 1, 1921, travelling passenger agent; June 1, 1922, city passenger agent.

William I. Balkwill is appointed travelling passenger agent, succeeding Edward J. Richel. Mr. Balkwill joined the Canadian Pacific as clerk in the steamships passenger department Chicago on March 13, 1922.

St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, N.B. — The Canadian Manufacturers' Convention for 1922 is now a thing of the past, and to the almost 200 delegates and others who have been here for a week, attending the sessions, it will be a pleasant memory. So much of a success has been this year's convention that it can be said, without violating any confidences, that the most influential members of the association are anxious to hold future conventions under similar conditions.

The Casino of the Algonquin Hotel provided an excellent meeting place, and the records show more discussion than at any four conventions in the past, while there has been more fraternizing by the delegates, who got to know one another to a greater degree than ever before. During the Convention days delegates played golf on the beautiful links overlooking the sea and indulged in swimming in Katy's Cove.

Calgary, Alta. — After covering six hundred miles in the southern portion of Alberta, at the end of June, J. M. Cameron, general superintendent of the Alberta Division of the Canadian Pacific Railway, declares that crop conditions there, generally speaking, are very satisfactory.

Mr. Cameron stated that farmers had been taught an object lesson by grasshoppers. Where these insects had been active had been on stubble-in crops. From the amount of summer fallowing that was now going on, farmers had realized that stubbling-in was a poor gamble and left a breeding place for the hoppers. The hoppers, he said, were now practically under control in the south. Cutworms had done little or no damage on account of the frequent showers.

"I have been much pleased with my visit," said Mr. Cameron. "There is now quite an optimistic feeling among farmers and business men in the south country."

Elkhorn, Man.—Forty years ago Mr. Jas. Rodgers commenced working for the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, as a section man, and in about five years, through his ability to give the best he could and also because of his sterling integrity, was promoted to foremanship, holding this position until 20 years ago, when he desired a change of employment, and was transferred to the pumping station staff. For a while he worked at Fleming and Virden in his new capacity and eventually assumed charge of the Elkhorn pumping station, on the retirement of Mr. R. Travis, another old time railroad man who is still with us, as hale and hearty as ever.

A record such as Mr. Rodgers holds is decidedly unique. He is the second senior pumpman in the division, and his regularity and strict attention to his calling have won for him the deep respect of the Company, which places high value on the services of men of such capability. He has stood the rigors of an exacting position in a manner that must reflect great credit.

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

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ALBERTA BOND SALE

In spite of the present unsatisfactory state of the bond market, the Alberta government was able during the past week to dispose of an issue of $3,500,000 five year five-and-a-half percent. bonds at a price of 99.14. The purchasers were a syndicate composed of Wood, Gundy & Co., Toronto, the Dominion Securities Co. and Bliton, Read & Co., of New York. The sale was made on private bids, after open bids on the bonds with a 30 year term had been rejected as too low. The price finally received was considered most satisfactory under present conditions.

ALBERTA BUTTER STANDS HIGH

During the recent exhibitions at Calgary and Edmonton, butter made in Alberta captured a great many of the prizes offered. The butter at Calgary, exhibited by various producers in the province, was judged by Commissioner Gibson, Dairy Commissioner of Manitoba, who said that unquestionably Alberta butter was the finest in all Canada.

STOCK JUDGING COMPETITION

The stock judging team of three students from the Gleichen school of agriculture was successful in winning the judging competition held at Calgary during the exhibition there, the competition being for a silver trophy offered by the department of agriculture and the staffs of the agricultural schools. The cup was competed for this year for the first time. It must be won twice by the same school to establish permanent possession. Teams competed from the schools of Claresholm, Vermilion, Gleichen and Olds. There was also a solid gold medal, a silver and gold medal and a silver medal, for the first, second and third highest individual standing in the judging competition. The competition was organized and supervised by E. Ward Jones, manager of the stock yards, Calgary. The judges were G. H. Hutton, C.P.R., Calgary, Prof. Lattimer, Alberta University, Prof. Bowstead, Alberta University, Alex Galbraith, department of agriculture, and Walter Crawford. Classes were held in beef and dairy cattle, horses, sheep and swine. The competition was keenly contested, and the team displayed good training and study.

FROM NEBRASKA BY CAR

Two agricultural college students from the University of Nebraska were visitors at the parliament buildings the past week, having driven up from Nebraska in a Ford car. They are touring Western Canada, and supplying Nebraska papers with articles on the attractions of the country. They expressed themselves very much pleased with Alberta.

TEACHERS' SUMMER SCHOOL

Over 600 teachers from all parts of the province are attending the annual summer school now in progress at the university, under the auspices of the provincial department of education, and under the supervision of G. F. McNally, supervisor of schools.

NEW MEMBERS ELECTED

During the bye-elections of the past week to fill the vacancies in the legislature in the ridings of Sedgewick, Whitford and Rhatney, three new farmer members were elected. A. G. Andrews was elected by acclamation in Sedgewick to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Hon. Chas. Stewart; A. Chornopus was returned in Whitford over A. S. Shandro, the former member, and in Ribstone, W. G. Farquharson was elected over H. J. McKenna, a Liberal candidate.

The Alberta government has decided against giving aid to the Salvation Army scheme for bringing a number of women and children to Canada from Britain.

Spruce lumber from Alberta is very highly prized in the eastern States, according to a prominent lumberman who was a visitor to Edmonton during the past week.

Motion picture producers of Alberta, meeting in convention in Edmonton, have expressed satisfaction with the censorship of pictures as carried on in Alberta, and have expressed confidence in the present censorship board.

NATURAL GAS QUESTION

An investigation into the entire natural gas question in the province, which will produce information for the provincial government upon which it may act in respect to present problems, and upon which it may base a future policy with respect to the whole question, is to be made by Judge A. A. Carpenter, of the public utilities board. The government reached this decision during the past week, and a list of twelve questions has been submitted to Judge Carpenter. Briefly, the questions will seek information on the following points:

Present production of gas in the province, existing wells and capacity, and owners.

Present volume of consumption by municipalities for domestic and for industrial purposes.

Industrial concerns using gas now and minimum amount required by such, and prices and terms on which they are supplied.

Agreements now existing between municipalities and corporations.

Effect of transporting gas out of any field, on municipalities now using the gas.

Methods of greater conservation of gas.

Ability of those now distributing gas to give adequate supply.

Agreements now existing affecting supply to any municipality.

Present methods of regulation elsewhere than in Alberta.

Methods of treating pipe lines as common carriers elsewhere.

Active campaign to bring settlers to the irrigated lands of the Lethbridge-Northern District has already commenced, under the auspices of the irrigation council, with the co-operation of the dominion government immigration officials, who will place men in the field in the Western States to seek these immigrants. The campaign is being handled from the Lethbridge offices of the irrigation council.

TREATMENT FOR POISONED STOCK

In several places in the southern part of the province it has been found that cattle and other animals have become poisoned by eating bait for grasshoppers which has been scattered in fields, since the bait contains arsenic. Dr. Percy Talbot, the provincial veterinarian, has issued a statement following a study of the matter, in which he says that the most successful treatment as an antidote for the poison is hydrated oxide of iron, which should be administered in the form of a soft mass and must be freshly made and administered at once. Since, however, preparation of such an antidote would not be practicable for farmers who had to drive long distances to obtain the ingredient, other remedies have been tried. It has been found that a mixture of ferric hydrate and magnesia will act promptly and effectively. For this preparation it is necessary to keep on hand in separate bottles 2 ounces ferric sulphite solution diluted with 4 ounces water, and 180 grains magnesia made into a smooth mixture with half a pint of water. When needed, the two should be mixed and shaken until a thin mass results. This should be administered in large quantities at short intervals, and followed with emetics such as alum, epicacs or sulphite of zinc. The fact should not be forgotten that large doses of lime water, olive oil, carron oil, or mucilaginous drinks, as oatmeal gruel, are helpful. Stimulants might also be given, and if there is well marked prostration, warmth should be applied to the animal by means of hot blankets.

SHORT COURSE FOR CHILDREN

One of the most interesting experiments yet tried by the provincial department of agriculture, and one which is proving immensely successful, is the short course school of a week's duration held at the Olds school of agriculture for 69 boys and girls, winners at the school fairs of last year in seventeen districts from Wetaskiwin south to Didsbury. The boys and girls attending this course ranged in age from 9 to 15, and some of them had never been farther away from home alone than their own agricultural fair. The young students were given instruction in many subjects, the girls taking sewing, cooking and horticulture, and the boys being given lessons in farm engineering, stock judging, grain judging, soil cultivation, horticulture, carpentry and other branches of agriculture. The instruction is being given by the staff of the Olds school of agriculture, headed by Principal F. S. Grisdale, who, together with Nelson Smith, M.L.A., for Olds, originated the course.

Provision for recreation was also made, and the week proved to be a most interesting one for the young students. Among the outsiders who spoke to the boys and girls were Nelson Smith, M.L.A., Olds; G. W. Smith, M.L.A., Red Deer; W. J. Stephen, crop commissioner of the province, and Alex Galbraith, Superintendent of Fairs and Institutes. Under the direction of C. G. Croff, publicity commissioner, motion pictures and other photos were taken of the students and the classes.

During the past week Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, has been in consultation with the provincial cabinet in the matter of immigration policy and co-operation of the provincial and dominion authorities in bringing settlers into the province.

WHEAT BOARD

Premier Greenfield has returned from Regina, where he was in consultation with Premier Dunning of Saskatchewan, in the matter of passing provincial legislation to validate the organization of a wheat board. The matter is now being discussed by the provincial cabinet, but no definite decision has yet been made as to the necessary special session of the house.

POKER, GAME OF SKILL, RULING OF B.C. COURT

Vancouver, July 15.—Ruling that poker is a game of skill, Mr. Justice Ruggles yesterday declared legal a promissory note given by C. S. Morris to Jack Mayville for $250, following a poker game at Ocean Falls, a year ago. Mr. Morris failed to honor the note and pleaded in the county court that poker being a game of chance, the note was not legal.

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Put the plates away out of the reach of children until required in another room.

The right way to use Wilson's Fly Pads

RED CROSS NEWS

Alberta may well be proud of her children as the following figures will show. At the recent test held by the Red Cross at their demonstration stall at the Calgary Exhibition, it was found that of the two thousand one hundred children weighed only twenty were cases of bad mal-nutrition. There were several cases of children slightly under standard by one or two pounds, but these were of negligible quantity. It must be remembered that these were all, or nearly all, city boys and girls. Mothers who were interested in the diets listed on the diet table can obtain diet cards by applying to the Red Cross Division Headquarters, Calgary.

RULES OF THE HEALTH GAME

1. A bath more than once a week.
2. Brush the teeth at least once a day.
3. Plenty of sleep, with windows open.
4. Drink a pint of milk a day, but no tea or coffee.
5. Eat some vegetables or fruit every day.
6. Drink four glasses of water a day
7. Play out of doors every day.
8. A bowel movement every morning.

Mr. R. H. Scott, field representative and organizer, has been visiting in the northern part of the province and reports a new organization at Yeoford. This branch will devote its energies to assisting the district health-nurse. A branch of the Junior Red Cross has been formed at Stettler. Mr. Scott's tour has included visits to Wetaskiwin, Camrose, Ohatan, Daysland, Sedgewick, Lougheed, Killam, and Provost. He has with him two excellent sets of lantern slides, illustrating the work of the Alberta Division in the province, including pictures of the Junior Red Cross Children's Hospital. The second set, entitled "Health and Common Sense," deals with suggestions of right living and good health.

Any branch wishing to arrange for a lantern lecture should communicate with the provincial office.

WHAT STATISTICS SHOWED

Henry Allen Wilson, secretary of the New England Anti-Tobacco league, said in an address in Portland: "Carefully compiled statistics show us that for every cigar a man smokes he shortens his life three days, while with every cigarette he shortens his life a week.

At that point a prominent Portland physician rose in the rear of the hall.

"Are those statistics absolutely accurate?" he asked.

"Absolutely, sir," said Secretary Wilson. Why?"

"Because it's rather important," explained the physician. "You see, if your statistics are accurate, I've been dead over 300 years."

CONDOR NEWS

Smiles everywhere. It has rained and then again it rained—a real soaker—and the grain and the garden stuff and the pastures have stretched forth their parched leaves to absorb the moisture.

Scott Hastie, A. L. McDonald, H. Bice and H. Meeres were in Red Deer to attend the annual meeting of the Central Alberta Stock Shipping Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Mann, of Edmonton, drove down to pay Mr. Meeres a short visit, bringing Miss Theresa, who is spending her holidays with her parents.

The Condor Dramatic Society are working hard to put on their play "Jouvelle Parle Francais" on the 18th. We believe everyone will be delighted with it, and would advise anyone to not let distance keep them from coming.

There will also be a short, high class concert that night. It is to be benefit night for the U.F.A. Local.

Mr. George Bott joined the ranks of the Benedicts last week. The young couple are going to reside on the old homestead.

WEST PARK PICNIC

The West Park and Red Deer West residents had a grand time at their picnic on Tuesday afternoon on the level lots above the C.P.R. opposite Mr. Kingsett's. Major Lister, Mr. McKay and Mr. Shannon were the committee, but their work would not have amounted to much without the indefatigable efforts of the ladies, whose service in collecting for prizes and in providing the refreshments formed the real basis of the success of the picnic. West Park ladies beat Red Deer West ladies at ball, while Parkvale boys beat West Park boys by 17 to 9, winning a bat. Lily McKay's team won in the ball match among West Park girls. Mr. Alex. Cruickshank's team beat Mr. Jas. Shannon's team in the tug-of-war. The girls threw themselves with great spirit into the sports and races, Major Lister says; the boys were too much concerned with the prizes, he thinks. Gordon McKay won the high jump, Mr. Martin the married men's race, Mrs. Loxam the married woman's race, Mr. Loxam the greasy pig. Lily McKay the girls' potato race; other winners were J. Moseley and Alex. McKay. There were races and prizes for everybody and lots of fun. Mrs. Kingzett presented the prizes. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Lamont threw their home open for dancing, which formed a happy windup of a jolly afternoon and evening, and a cordial vote of thanks was passed to Mr. and Mrs. Lamont for their hospitality.

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BACK TO PATRONAGE?

(Winnipeg Tribune)

Parliament debated the civil service and its relation to political patronage at considerable length last session. Eventually the politicians who wanted jobs for their supporters gave up hope of obtaining them by parliamentary action. Public sentiment was sufficiently strong to make a majority of the members extremely wary of a vote on the question.

Announcement is now made from Ottawa that "by recommendation of the civil service commission, confirmed by the government," a number of positions in the service have been excluded from the operation in the act, which simply means that they go under the patronage system again. The list is apparently extensive. The press dispatch mentions all positions where the salary does not exceed $200; all positions for which the compensation provided is fees of office; positions of port physicians under the department of health in all the sea-coast provinces; and positions in 144 classes of skilled and unskilled labor specified in the regulations. No indication is given of the number of government employees affected under this ruling, but one would judge it is large.

It is possible that the civil service commission made this recommendation of its own free will, but it does not accord with previous utterances and actions of the commissioners. It is more probable that the government, under strong pressure from its supporters in the maritime provinces and Quebec, instituted the change. There are sections of Canada, particularly in the maritime provinces, where the measure of a representative's statesmanship is the number of jobs he can secure for his willing workers. The inefficiency of the patronage system, its weakness from the standpoint of the public interest, weighs little or not at all.

The action of the government looks like the thin end of the wedge. It should be the business of parliament, whose authority really is flouted by this order-in-council legislation, to subject it to searching examination.

THE CATHOLIC PICNIC

The annual picnic of the Roman Catholic parish of Red Deer—to show that there was no bad feeling—came off on the afternoon of Wednesday, July 12 on the Convent grounds. There was an excellent turnout from all over the district, and everyone had a good time. The oncoming rainstorm was judged in time for all to take refuge in the Convent building, and only half an hour's delay resulted. Mr. A. Donnelly's Wheel of Fortune, Mr. Federer's Aunt Sally, the rooster competition won again this year by Mrs. Duval, and the refreshment booths did their part to add to the enjoyment of the occasion. The races resulted as follows:

Boys' 25 yard dash, 3 years and under—T. Forhan, Allan Day, G. Dingman.

Girls 25 yard dash, 9 and under—F. Kangisser, M. Simons, O. Sinclair.

Boys' 50 yard dash, 13 and under—E. Depalme, H. Simons, R. Champlin.

Girls' 50 yard dash, 13 and under—M. Martin, J. Champlin, B. Dallaire.

Young men's 75 yard dash—F. Simons, F. Dallaire, Ed, Hermary.

Young ladies' 75 yard dash—W. Alford, J. Thibaut, M. Webb.

Married men—J. Demas, S. Kangisser.

Young married ladies—Mrs. Brehm, Mrs. M. Demas, Mrs. McGovern.

Fat ladies—Mrs. Depalme, Mrs. Federer, Mrs. M. Glasson.

Three-legged race, men and boys—S. Kangisser and F. Simons, F. Anderson and R. Hart.

Three-legged race, ladies and girls—J. Champlin and M. Martin, M. Michiels and M. Simons.

Egg and spoon—M. Curial, M. Michiels, J. Champlin.

Potato race, girls—M. Michiels, J Champlin, M. Simons.

Potato race, boys—M. Simons, F. Depalme, B. Dingman.

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EXAMINER'S REVIEW OF PROVINCIAL MARKETS

Calgary, July 13.

Cattle—

Week of July 13 very light receipts at Calgary; Choice heavy steers, $5.75 to $6.35; choice light, $5 to $6.35; good, $4.50 to $5.50; medium, $2.75 to $4.25; common, $2 to $2.50. Choice cows, $4 to $4.50; good, $3.50 to $4.00; medium, $2.50 to $3.50; common, $1.50 to $2.25; canners, $1 to $1.25. Bulls unchanged, with best at $2.25. Calves steady to stronger, with best $3.50 to $5; common, $2 to $3. Feeders and Stockers—Prices easier; teeders, $2.50 to $3.25; stockers, $2 to $2.50. Stocker heifers, $1.75 to $2.25. Stock cows, $1.25 to $2.

Beef—

Edmonton business light; choice heavy steers, $6 to $6.50, with a few tops at $6.75; choice light, $5 to $6; good, $4.25 to $5; medium, $3 to $4; common, $2.50 to $3. Choice cows, $4 to $4.50; good, $3.50 to $4; medium, $2 to $2.50; common, $1.50 to $2; canners, $1 to $1.50. Choice heifers from $5 down. Bulls make from $2.50 down. Best veal calves, $4 to $5; common, $2.50 to $4. Feeders and Stockers—Plain feeders, $2 to $3; stockers, $1.50 to $2.50; choice dehorned feeders would make $3.50; stocker heifers, $2 to $2.50; stocker cows, $1 to $1.50.

Hogs—

Calgary market has been holding firm during the week, with most of the sales $13 to $13.25. Thursday's sales at $13.25.

Edmonton prices ruling steady, with last sales at $13.25; some flurries occurred during the week, but above prices are about in line.

Sheep—

Calgary prices weakening, and best lambs are hard to sell over $9; wethers, $6 to $8; ewes, $4 to $7.

Edmonton prices declined, with lambs $8 to $9.50; wethers, $6.50 to $7; ewes, $5 to $6.

Grain—

Every day the wheat situation in Alberta is improving, with the crop in the south assured; parts of central and northern Alberta, where conditions are more backward, cannot be estimated yet, but they are making much better progress. Prices have been lower on all markets, and European crop will be better than expected, which has eased off buying.

Produce—

Creamery Butter—Carlots, basis specials, 35½c to 36c; cartons, 36c to 40c; unless export business revives, market will decline, and Vancouver cannot take all our make. Dairy Butter—Market rather slow, with fancy tubs at Calgary, 22c to 25c; grades, 12c to 20c. Butterfat—No change in prices; recent rains will assist in maintaining production, and has caused slight increase. Cheese—Price advanced to 19c to 22c; make in northern and central districts increased. Eggs—Market unchanged; extras, 24c; firsts, 19c to 20c; seconds, 15c; cracks, 10c. Poultry—Live shipments steady; fowl, 10c. to 12c; broilers, 20c to 25c; chickens, 15c to 20c; not advisable to ship dressed poultry. Potatoes—No established market.

Creamery Butter—Movement from Edmonton not active, creameries holding for 35½c; weaker export demand has caused interruption until something definite is reported. Butterfat—Prices unchanged, 33c, 29c, 27c. Cheese—Eastern market steady; Alberta price around 21c. Eggs—Very little to report; no change in prices; trade finding difficulty in moving current receipts, which are not good storage. Poultry—Prices look like decline, as retail demand slow at present prices; broilers, 24c to 26c; fowl, 10c to 12c; old roosters, 6c to 8c.

Hay—

Prospects of good supply of green feed will ease off hay situation during coming season; big crops in Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Montana, Idaho and Washington will be trying to find outlet in Alberta.

Wool—

Market unchanged, though not quite so firm; dealers at Calgary quoting 16c for ordinary clip; with spread up or down according to quality.

Hides—

Quotations unchanged; green salted butcher hides, 6c; farm killed reduced according to value; butcher flint dried hides, 9c; farm killed dry hides, 7c.

Furs—

Not much handled just now in southern part of province; several large packs arrived in Edmonton; markets firm.

FULL CABINET MUST DISCUSS WHEAT BOARD

Conference Awaits Arrival of Two Ministers—May Meet Next Week

Not until it is possible to have a conference of all members of the provincial cabinet will it be decided whether a special session of the legislature shall be called to deal with the question of establishing an inter-provincial wheat board between Alberta and Saskatchewan.

This much was intimated by Premier Greenfield Thursday night when it was learned that the cabinet had not dealt with the question in the forenoon conference, as had been planned.

The premier said it had been thought advisable to have all the ministers on hand before a final decision was reached, and he thought Hon. George Hoadley, who has been in the east for some time, would be back in Edmonton by the end of the present week. However, the premier would offer no statement as to the probable date of an announcement as to the government policy, beyond declaring that it could not possibly be before the end of the week in any event.

Hon. Perrin Baker, minister of education, has been in the south, and will also be on hand for the general conference upon the return of Mr. Hoadley. In all probability it will be next week before the government is prepared to state whether or not the special session will be necessary.

THE SAD REASON

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DEATH OF MRS. McCONNELL

Mrs. Robert McConnell, one of the old-timers who have done their full share in building up the district, passed to her rest on Tuesday, July 11, at the residence of her son, Mr. S. McConnell, east of Red Deer, at the age of 78 years; she had been an invalid the past three years and her death was not unexpected. Mrs. McConnell was born in Renfrew county, Ontario, and came to Red Deer with her husband and two children in 1899, two sons having preceded them, taking up land on the Balmoral-Springvale line in 1893. She is survived by her husband, who has reached an advanced age; three sons—Samuel and Edward, east of Red Deer; James R., New Brigdon, Alta.; and Mrs. Margaret Clarke, Edmonton. The funeral was conducted by Mr. McComas on Thursday afternoon to the Red Deer Cemetery.

MODERATED IN A CALL

At a meeting of the members and adherents of the Presbyterian churches of Willowdale, Edwell and Hill End at Edwell on Monday night, Rev. P. Davidson, Innisfail, moderated in a call which came out unanimously in favor of Rev. John L. Hughes, who is at present in charge of the field. Mr. Hughes has occupied the status of an evangelist missionary, but at the last general assembly he received the full status of an ordained minister. The induction will take place later. Mr. Hughes has been most successful in his work among the people, and his permanent settlement will be greatly appreciated by them.

SPILLED THE BEANS

Miss Howles—Wouldn't you like to be able to play and sing, my little man?

Johnny—Naw! I wouldn't like to have people say mean things about me as they do about you.

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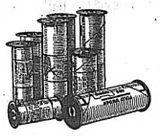

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HESPERO

July 10, 1922

A very enjoyable time was had on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Meredith on Monday afternoon when a most successful picnic was held under the auspices of the Hespero Women's Institute. The ladies, whose untiring efforts brought about such a pleasant time, cannot be too highly complimented, and special mention should be made of the efforts made by Mr. and Mrs. Meredith to give everybody a good time. Your scribe is not familiar with the results of all the sports, so cannot write in detail: the results of some were as follows:—

Men's 100 yard dash—A. J. Miller

Men's high jump—A. J. Miller, 6 ft.

Men's standing broad jump — A. Stapleton, 8 ft. 6 in.

Thread and needle race—D. J. Whittle and Mrs. J. A. Edgar.

Boys' high jump—Geo. Gledhill.

Ladies' potato race—Miss Mason.

A tug-of-war was held by a team chosen by J. Nelson and W. R. Edgar, the latter's side winning despite the fact that the former's had a couple additional ladies assistance.

A fine exhibition of baseball was displayed, the contesting parties being "The Sod Busters" vs "The Teat Pullers." The errors were too numerous to mention.

In the midst of the sporting activities, W. R. Edgar, dressed as a clown and riding a most picturesque donkey, made a great deal of fun for the children, who kept the donkey busy the rest of the afternoon.

The last of the sporting events was a race to catch two roosters which had been turned loose, the bird belonging to the one who caught it. An ample supply of eatables added greatly to the success of the afternoon. I'm sure everyone hope the ladies will make it an annual event.

This district has been favored during the last few days with the best rainfall it has enjoyed in almost three years.

A meeting of the Hespero U.F.A. will be held at Hespero on Monday, July 17, at 4 p.m.

STANLEY PARK FOR A TIME IN DANGER FROM FOREST FIRES

Vancouver, July 17.—Forest fires threatened Stanley Park, the famous forest reserve within the city limits here, yesterday, when a blaze was somehow kindled in the brush at the entrance to Vancouver harbor. The flames ran up the great cliff known as Prospect Point and threatened the two lighthouses which guard the harbor and direct shipping in and out. The lighthouse crew, later assisted by city firemen, fought for hours to prevent the spread of the fires which for a time threatened the giant timber of Stanley Park.

76th BATTERY CANADIAN FIELD ARTILLERY

Battery orders by Major R. C. Lister, M.C., M.M., week ending July 22nd, 1922.

Military Events, Red Deer Fair: Those competing will draw necessary equipment in time to allow of being on hand at the Fair grounds when events are announced to take place. This should not be later than 7.30 p.m., Tuesday, and 3 p.m. on Wednesday. Tuesday evening, dummies, V. C. race; helmets and singlesticks for balaclava melee. Helmets must be plumed beforehand. Wednesday afternoon, no equipment.

Parades: Parades for drill will be held each evening until the firing detachments proceed to Sarcee Camp. All ranks should attend.

Pay Sheets: All who have not already done so, are required to sign the pay sheets, otherwise no pay or allowances will be forthcoming.

General Inspection: The Battery will be inspected by Gen. Bell, G.O.C. M.D. 13, on the evening of July 26th.

The Battery headquarters party will be mounted and carry out tactical exercises. All horses used in training must be produced on this parade.

R. C. LISTER, Major.

SPECIAL APPEAL FOR HOSPITAL

The Hospital Ladies' Aid are making a special request through the columns of the press to the people of the surrounding districts for donations of strictly fresh eggs to pack for winter use for the Memorial Hospital. The same can be left at the Hepworth creamery. The members of the Ladies' Aid will look after the packing. Donations will be received from now to the end of July.

CHURCH NOTICES

Christian Science Society, Michener Block—Day service, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 12 o'clock; Wednesday, testimonial meeting, 8 p.m. Free reading room and lending library, Michener Block. Open Tuesdays and Saturdays from 3 to 6 p.m.

St. Luke's (Anglican) church—Divine service on Sunday next, July 23, 6th Sunday after Trinity: 8 a.m., Celebration of the Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Matins and Sermon; 3.45 p.m., Holy Baptism; 7.30 p.m., Choral Evensong and Sermon.

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ST. LUKE'S SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC.

On Wednesday, July 12th, the scholars, teachers and friends of the Sunday school had a most enjoyable outing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith, Balmoral. Assembling at the Alexandra hall at 2 p.m., the whole party, in the care of Rev. G. McComas, H. B. Callender, superintendent, and the teachers of the main and primary schools, was conveyed by automobile to the scene of action. A long list of athletic events had been arranged, and these were contested with vigor and prowess, 1st and 2nd prizes being given to the winners in each event. A sumptuous tea was partaken at 4.30 p.m., and during the afternoon abundance of lemonade and ice cream conspired to keep everyone cool.

Several photos of the happy group, some eighty in number, were taken by Mr. Callender and our hostess.

At 7.30 p.m., after a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Smith had been tendered, the somewhat tired but altogether happy gathering was re-embarked and returned home by car, having spent a supremely joyous afternoon in the country.

The best thanks of the Sunday School is offered to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith for their kindly generosity, and also to those gentlemen who (in spite of some personal inconvenience) drove the large number of children and adults to and from the farm. Altogether, a successful, well-planned and happy outing.

DEATHS

McCONNELL—Died, at her home in Balmoral, on July 11, 1922, Margaret beloved wife of Robert McConnell, aged 78 years. The funeral was held on Thursday, July 13, at 2:30 p.m., from her late residence, Rev. Gerald McComas officiating, interment taking place in the Red Deer Cemetery. H. G. Stone & Sons in charge of arrangements.

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NOTICE

Take Notice that certain lands have been sold by the City of Red Deer under the Tax Recovery Act, and that the period of redemption provided by law will expire on the 13th day of October, A.D. 1922, and that a list of such lands may be seen in the Alberta Gazette of August 1st, 1922.

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